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School Committee approves lunch price increase

by Elaine DePasquale

Don't spend all your pennies on those new back to school clothes for your youngsters. You're going to need some of them to cover the cost of increased school lunches this year.

At a regular meeting of the Wilmington School Committee last week, Cafeteria Supervisor Anne Quinn announced that an increase in basic lunch prices to 40 cents would be necessary in order to keep the school hot lunch program running in the black.

Last year lunches cost 30 cents with 10 cents extra for dessert. This year desserts such as ice cream will cost 15 cents.

The major culprit, says Quinn, is inflation which has resulted in total increases in costs this year of $64,000.

In addition, she said, the state now requires the program to have two months operating costs in its revolving fund. At present the program's monthly operating cost is projected at $46,484. Two month's costs would amount to nearly $93,000, said Quinn, and the revolving fund currently has only $17,000 with another $3,000 to $4,000 to come in in reimbursements.

"I have come to the conclusion we don't have any alternative except to raise the price to 40 cents," Quinn said.

The School Committee accepted her recommendations by a vote of 3-2. Voting negatively were Philip Fenton and John Brooks.

Absent from the meeting was School Committeeman James Demos.

Fenton said he opposed the motion because he was concerned about families with several children in the school system. "This is the main meal of the day for many," he said. "I am voting against it because I am afraid it will really hurt the kids."

According to Business Manager, Anthony DeLuca, the balanced-meal lunches served in the Wilmington Schools are still a good buy however. This year's increase, he said, is the first time the price has risen since ot jumped from 25 cents four or five years ago.

Other problems for beleagured hot lunch program are the strain of having to replace worn out equipment, and the expense caused by students who carelessly toss plates, trays and silverware into the trash barrels at a phenomenal rate.

This year, DeLuca said, the hot lunch program is requesting $4,500 for purchasing and maintaining equipment. Since the program currently has no capital outlay budget of its own, the money must come out of the school system's total capital outlay budget.

"I find it difficult to justify spending a third of this on the cafeteria," said DeLuca. "Next year we will have to look at budgeting an amount for maintenance and equipment in the cafeteria."

High School Principal George Eisenberg told the committee that he would address the question of disappearing eating utensils when he speaks to the students at the beginning of the fall term.

This year alone, 60 dozen trays are being ordered to replace not only those which have worn out, but the large number which have disappeared, presumably into the trash barrels.

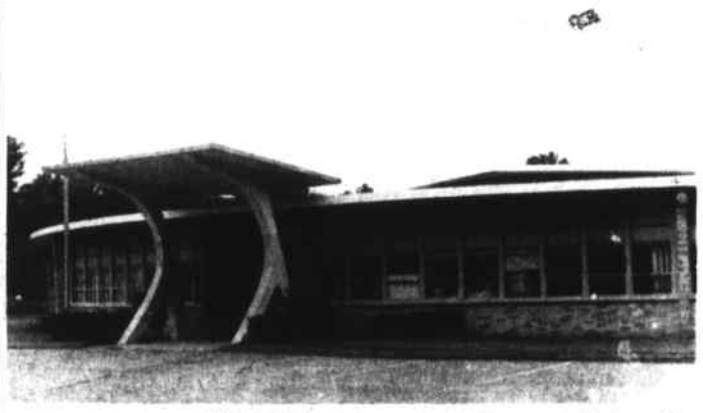
"We are really having a problem with trays, plates and silverware being thrown out," said Quinn.

"Some of it we are able to recover. Our custodians are very good, but it is a serious problem," she said.

Quinn attributes part of this phenomenon to the psychology of the throw-away society, accustomed to dealing with plastic disposables. However, for the school department to replace its silverware and plates with plastic goods, she says, would cost much more than replacing the ones that are lost.

According to Assistant Superintendent of Schools Derek Little, the schools will be experimenting this year with covers for trash barrels to prevent the dumping of trays and plates. Silverware, however, may still continue to be a problem, he said.

Glen Road School ready to open



Boutwell School

Wilmington's two round schools were built from the same plans, 20 years ago. Yet they do have individual characteristics, such as the entrance canopy at the Boutwell. The school still has its original ceiling., which will be tested for asbestos again in October.

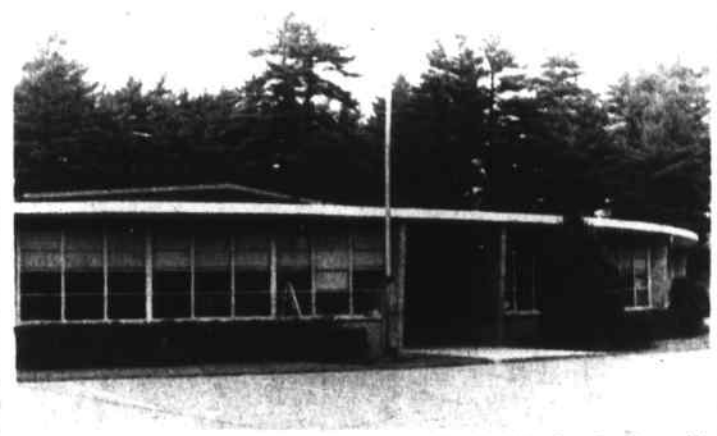
Asbestos problems have been solved at the Glen Road School in Wilmington, and damage from a fire has been repaired. The school is ready to open next month.

The entire corridor ceiling in the round-shaped school had to be removed, at a cost of $14,900. A new plaster ceiling was then installed, costing $2100. The old ceiling had been found to contain asbestos.

Meanwhile, repairs for fire damage were being carried out. Superintendent of Public Buildings Roy McClanahan said that all the bills are not yet in on those repairs, but that it appears that the total will come out just about at the amount of the insurance settlement, $33,796.

The school had been closed since a fire in mid-February, shortly after the asbestos problem was announced.

Wilmington's other round school, the Boutwell, built shortly after the Glen Road School, will undergo testing in October. Rep. James Miceli said that the testing would be performed by the state Office of Manpower Affair, Division of Occupational Hygiene.



Glen Road School

The Glen Road School, slightly older than the Boutwell, has no canopy over its main entrance. It does have a new plaster ceiling. The school, closed since February, will open on schedule in September.

Two arrested

Wilmington police arrested two men on Tuesday morning and charged them with breaking and entering in the daytime, with the intent to commit a felony.

Sgt. Jay Palmer said he arrested the men at 11:10 a.m. after he caught them burglarizing a house on Main Street opposite Rocco's Restaurant.

Palmer said that as he was driving north on Main Street he noticed a 1972 Chevy parked at the side of the street with one man in it. Suspicious, Palmer turned his unmarked cruiser around at Campbell's Restaurant, and drove past the car. He then stopped in the yard at McNamara Tire, and watched the car back into the driveway of Bryant Rogers at 184 Main St.

Palmer then pulled into the driveway and radioed for help. He and Officer James Cuoco confronted and arrested two men. They identified themselves as Julio Delvalle, 21, giving addresses in South Boston and Roxbury, and Tony Figueroa, 20 of Dorchester.

Palmer said that the house had been entered through the rear door, and that the men had collected items such as a television and stereo near the front door, to be loaded into their car.

The two said that they had a third companion with them, but a search of the area failed to yield any such person.

The men were arraigned in Woburn District Court on Tuesday afternoon.

'Cherry Sheet' good news

Wilmington received some good news with the "cherry sheet" this year. The town will receive $3,069,941 in state reimbursements to offset the town tax rate, for fiscal year 1980.

The reimbursement figure is an incerase of $342,939 over that of last year.

Normally, the receipt of the state reimbursement figure allows the tax assessor to set the tax rate. This year, however, due to the tax cap legislation, the assessor must prove to the state that the town is under the cap, before the tax rate can be set. It is a lengthy process, expected to take several days.

Discipline plan presented

A five-point plan to tighten up discipline at Wilmington High School was presented to the School Committee by High School Principal George Eisenberg last week.

Among the recommendations, which were unanimously accepted by the committee, were the filling of a currently vacant parking lot attendant's position; more active supervision of the cafeteria by teacher's aides; the establishment of a program of awards and recognition of deserving students; the holding of regular discussion meetings with student leaders; and the buttressing of an in-school suspension program with in-service training of teachers and guidance counselors.

A final report of the results of the plan will be made to the School Committee in January, 1980, Eisenberg said.

Contractor defaults

The contractor for a $1.1 million section of Wilmington's new sewer has defaulted, in the eyes of the town government. The contractor, Pacella Bros. of Plainville, Mass. was responsible for a section of the main interceptor sewer, running from Floradale Avenue to a point just north of the Route 129 bridge.

Wilmington's selectmen, town manager, assistant town manager and town counsel spent a long time in executive session, Monday night, discussing the default and its legal implications.

One of the decisions was to proceed, and finish the job. The J.W. Watson Inc. company of Andover has been hired, to "pump down" the sewer as it now exists, for the purposes of inspection, and to verify grades within the sewer pipe.

Pumping is to start Friday afternoon, at a point at the end of Floradale Avenue. Only water is expected to be found, in the sewer, and that water will be allowed to run into the nearby swamp. The pumping will continue through Saturday and Sunday.

Masoncraft, the firm that had the construction contract between Eames Street and Floradale Avenue will appear on the scene Sunday. Masoncraft is expected to breakdown the "bulkhead" in the sewer between the two contracts, at the end of Floradale Avenue and perhaps assist in other ways.

Next Monday there is to be an examination of that portion of the sewer that was constructed by Pacella. The purpose, says the town manager, is to record the present condition of the sewer. Everything is to be documented, regarding the condition.

Selectmen to dead-end Heather Drive

Wilmington selectmen voted unanimously Monday night to close Heather Drive to through traffic as long as no objections are raised from several town officials, including the fire chief, the safety officer, the town engineer and members of the planning board.

They also voted to request the presence at their next meeting of representatives of the firm installing cable t.v. in Wilmington and granted an earth removal permit to Anthony Tambone for property located at 250 Ballardvale Street and a permit to store inflammables, subject to fire department approval, to Thomas Wall D'Allessandro who operates a trucking company on Andover Street.

The selectmen were presented with a petition from residents of Heather and Sparhawk Drives, attesting to what one resident called "raceway" conditions.

"Everybody is concerned for their kids," pleaded Ralph Williams of Sparhawk Drive. Heather Drive, he said, is now being used by out-of-town cars as a convenient access to a new housing development in North Reading.

According to Williams, a barrier did exist at the end of Heather Drive until recently, when the North Reading development was completed.

Selectman James Banda, however, suggested that reports from the town engineer and the fire chief be requested to be certain that dead-ending the street would not create any danger of insufficient access in the event of a fire or other emergency situation.

The selectmen also heard from Theresa Mercier of Andover Street and Vernon and Beatrice Randall of Salem Street, who presented them with a petition complaining of inequities in the present system of providing cable television service to the residents of Wilmington.

The service currently being provided by Greater Boston Cable Corp. was, they charged, arbitrarily excluding portions of a town which that firm was supposed to represent in total.

According to Randall, his family had been contacted by the cable television firm three times to see if they would be interested in subscribing to the service, but when they accepted and the installers came to his home it was discovered that the necessary cable hadn't even been laid on his street.

Monday night was not the first time that complaints had been aired over cable t.v. service. At the selectmen's last meeting, a representative of the company was present, at the selectmen's request, to explain why some residents of Adams Street were extended services while others were not.

According to chairman of the board Rocco DePasquale, it was explained at that time that when the town had entered into a contract for cable television, certain areas had been designated as first to be served, second to be served and so on. According to cable t.v. personnel, DePasquale said, the firm was still working on the second section and would not begin further expansion until January of 1980.

However, because of residents' concerns that the firm was now offering services it could not realistically produce in areas not connected by cable, the selectmen have requested another session with the firm's personnel on September 10.

The earth removal permit for Tambone to remove 10,000 cubic yards of loam presented no major problem for the selectmen. However, the question of a permit to store inflammables to D'Allessandro resulted in a discussion of safety factors regarding the location of the 2,500 gallon subterraanean tank which would be used to store diesel fuel for D'Allesandro's five tractor-trailer units.

D'Allessandro recently purchased the former Poloian property on Andover Street, onwhich an option had been held by Lawrence Burns of Somerville. Burns had planned to use the land as an access to industrial land owned by Robert Corey off Andover Street upon which he had hoped to construct a motel complex.

D'Allessandro recently moved his company, Wall Moving & Trucking from Wakefield to Wilmington.

Sand found in sewer

Sand - more than 100 cubic yards of it - has collected in Wilmington's main sewer, south of Eames Street.

The Water and Sewer Commissioners have yet to determine the exact source of the sand. They have eliminated several possibilities, and are now checking industrial plants in the area to see if it could be coming from one of them.

The engineers of Whitman and Howard have estimated a cost of $15,000 to dredge the sand out of the pipe.

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The Wilmington School Committee and the Massachusetts Bureau of Nutrition has approved a price increase for Type A Lunch in the School Lunch Program.

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coming events

Wed., Aug. 22: 7:30 p.m. Testimonial Dinner for the Rev. P. Hollywood of St. William's Church at Christian Formation Center, River Road, Andover. Tickets, 851-3443 or 851-9164.

Thurs., Aug. 23: 2 to 3 p.m. Children's free movies at Wil. Pub. Lib.

Thurs., Aug. 23: 7:30 p.m. Regular meeting of Tewks. C.O.A.

Fri., and Sat., Aug. 24 and 25: 8 p.m. Spotlighers present "Charlie Brown" at Wil. V.F.W. Hall, Rte. 38.

Sat., Aug. 25: 9 a.m. to noon. Registration for 1980 Little League at Wil. Rotary Park.

Sat. and Sun., Aug. 25, 26: Annual Junior Tennis Tournament by Wil. Tennis Club.

Mon., Aug. 27: 1 p.m., whist party at Wil. Senior Center.

Mon., Aug 27: 6:30 p.m. meeting and cross country run of boys varsity and junior varsity at TMHS.

Mon., Aug. 27: 8 p.m. COPE and coffee at home of Leslie Yauckoes, for mothers of twins and multiples. 458-7005 for information.

Tues., Aug. 28: 1:00 and 2:00 p.m., Franklin Park Zoomobile at Tewks. Patten Lib. Free tickets at library.

Tues., Aug. 28: 6 to 7:30 p.m. Registration for 1980 Little League at Wil. Rotary Park.

Wed., Aug. 29: 9:30 a.m. Arts and Crafts; 1 p.m. Glee Club; 2 p.m. Activities Comm. at Tewks. Drop-in Center.

Wed., Aug. 29: 8 p.m. Wilm. Newcomers Club membership coffee at home of Janet Sullivan, Adelman Road. 657-7198 for info or transportation.

Thurs., Aug. 30: 10 a.m., Free canning and freezing demonstration at Wil. Pub. Lib.

Thurs., Aug. 30: 6 to 7:30 p.m. Registration for 1980 Little League at Wil. Rotary Park.

Thurs., Aug. 30: 6:30 p.m. Softball doubleheader at Livingston Street field, Tewks. Mass State Police vs. WBZ radio All-Stars, McDonald's vs. Firefighters, benefit Muscular Dystrophy.

Sat., Sept. 1: 10 a.m. Tewks Track Club road race from H.S. 851-3272 for information and to register.

Sun., Sept. 2: Noon to 8 p.m. Muscular Dystrophy Telethon, auction and rock concert at Oakdale Mall, Tewks.

Mon., Sept. 3: 9 a.m. Muscular Dystrophy parade - Wilmington Plaza to Oakdale Mall, Tewks.

Mon., Sept. 3: Noon to 6 p.m. Muscular Dystrophy Auction and fun day, Oakdale Mall, Tewks.

Thurs., Sept. 6: 7:30 p.m. Rodeo night at Shriners' Auditorium, Fordham Rd., Wil.

Mon., Sept. 10: 8 p.m. general meeting of Wil. Figure Skating Club at public library.

Wed., Sept. 12: 8 p.m. Tewks. Finance Comm meeting at Town Hall.

Thurs., Sept. 13: 1 to 7:45 p.m. Blood drive at the fire station on Church Street, Wilmington. Wilmington has not filled its percentage quota.

Sun., Sept. 23: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Flea Mkt and Craft sale at Oakdale Mall parking lot, by Tewks. LWV. 851-6160 to rent space.

Thurs., Sept. 27: 2 to 8 p.m. Tewks Bloodmobile at Elks Hall.

Please submit items for coming events listing at least one week before desired date of publication.

editorial

A hard lesson

A controversy has existed all summer long over the election of officers for the Senior Class at Wilmington High School.

The controversy resulted from some irregularities in the holding of elections, in the homerooms in June. Some homerooms were not supervised, others were not able to vote.

The Wilmington School Committee has twice refused to overturn the results of the voting. They have decided to let the election stand.

The controversy is in some respects very cruel. Some well meaning students became involved in a controversy that they hadn't caused. Due to administrative shortcomings, both the winners and the losers in the election have been hurt.

At this point, perhaps the best thing that the students could do would be to shake hands. To attempt to prolong the question will only cause more problems for the clas as a whole.

While the election is fresh in their minds, it wouldn't hurt for the students to consider the experience as a lesson in the operation of a democracy, somewhat unwittingly provided by the school.

Democracy doesn't just happen. Someone has to run it, and someone has to watch what's happening.

And even when someone is watching, it doesn't necessarily mean that everything will run perfectly. But that's what trying is all about.

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Bill Haskell watching one of his employees, as he welds a stove, at his plant at 845 Woburn Street, Wilmington. Bill says he could sell 300 of them, every month, if he could just get them made.

He could sell 300 stoves a week!

Bill Haskell lives in North Reading. He is a boiler maker by trade - an occupation that kept him busy for 33 years.

There years ago Bill made a stove. He designed it for heavy duty. Most stoves are of one-eighth inch steel. Bill made his of quarter inch steel. He also made it octogonal in shape. Being an octogon means the stove is stronger, and will probably last many more years than an ordinary stove. Bill sold the stove, then he made some more.

He called the stoves Nightingale, and he formed a company, which he called Vista Nightingale. He found a place on Old Boston Road, in Tewksbury, where he started making his stoves commercially.

A year ago he moved to 854 Woburn Street, Wilmington. He was able to rent more space than he had in Tewksbury. Now business is booming.

A year ago Bill Haskell was making 30 stoves a week. Now he is making 100 stoves a week. Bill says he could sell 300 a week, easily, if he could make them.

LWV flea market

The League of Women Voters of Tewksbury is organizing a giant community-wide "Fall Treasures" flea market-crafts sale for Sunday, September 23, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Oakdale Mall parking lot.

It is a project designed to fund-raise on a community-wide sale for civic, social and religious organizations throughout Tewksbury, and to involve the community in an enjoyable event.

All town organizations, as well as any individuals who might have cleaned out a closet, an attic, or a basement, or who have home-made craft items to sell, are invited to participate.

The League will sell table space at seven dollars per table. That will be the only fee. All participants will keep their own profits, and will be asked to provide their own tables and clean up their space afterward.

All persons interested in renting table space for the event are asked to call either Sandy See at 851-6160, or Mimi McCaffery at 851-9986.

College News

Seven Wilmington students enrolled at Middlesex Community College have been named to the Dean's List for the 1979 Spring semester. They are; David Allen, Dorothy Charbonnier, Barbara Mahoney, David Meegan, Michael Severin, Katherine Taylor and Priscilla Wood.

Brenda-Jean Tyler of Wilmington will begin junior year studies at Dickinson College with the start of the fall semester in September.

A French and German major, Tyler is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Tyler of Dorothy Avenue. She plans to graduate from the central Pennsylvania liberal arts college in 1981.



Elizabeth Bradford of Wilmington has been awarded a diploma from Baystate Medical Center's School of Medical Technology in Springfield.

Having completed a year of internship at the Medical Center, which included classroom instruction and clinical training in the laboratories, she is now eligible to take a national certifying exam and pursue a career in a very versitile field.

Timothy Gould serves in Michigan

Airman First Class Timothy J. Gould recently participated in Global Sheild 79, an Air Force conducted by the Strategic Air Command. The exercise involved bomber, tanker, missile and reconnaisance forces and Air Reserve units. It was the most comprehensive test of the SAC forces

Airman Gould is a jet engine mechanic with a SAC unit at the Sawyer Air Base, near Gwinn, Michigan. He is the son of Joan Gould of 18 Forest Street, Wilmington.

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Marie Tada visits Tewksbury



Marie Tada is home.

Before she was married her name was Marie Gleason. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Gleason of Main Street, Tewksbury. Marie is a lady who speaks Japanese, and who teaches school in Japan. She is married to a Japanese citizen who owns a clothing store in Tokyo.

Marie went to Japan eight years ago, after having studied the Japanese language in Massachusetts. She was employed in a school in Kyoto, teaching the English language, and she stayed in Kyoto for several years, meanwhile improving her command of the Japanese language.

During the time she was in Kyoto Marie returned to Massachusetts for 18 months to finish her education. She now has a Master of Education degree.

After teaching in Kyoto she moved to Kobe, and taught English in a school there. It was at that time that Marie got married.

When Rotary International held a meeting in Tokyo, a couple of years ago Marie was there. She was the interpreter for the president of Rotary International - and her dad was present too, as a representative of Rotary from the United States.

Marie and her husband, who speaks English and likes baseball among other sports, moved to Tokyo last June, when he bought a clothing business in that city. Her husband has stayed in Tokyo, while she flew home for a visit to her parents.

It is hard, she reports, to get reservations on air lines from Tokyo to the United States. She was fortunate, she feels, to have gotten one with the North West Orient Airlines, an American flag company.

Marie arrived at her parents home two weeks ago, Tuesday. She leaves tomorrow (Thursday) for New York, where she will board a plane on Saturday to return to Tokyo.

Marie Tada is still an American citizen. Her husband is a Japanese citizen. She reports she still thinks Japan is a wonderful country in which to live.

Jerry Lewis Telethon

A fun filled weekend of activities is planned for Labor Day weekend at the Oakdale Mall in Tewksbury. The weekend will begin on Sunday, Sept. 2 with a huge auction beginning at noon. Game booths and the dunk tank will be operating. A rock concert will begin at 4 p.m. and will run until 8 p.m.

Monday at 9 a.m. a parade will start from Wilmington Plaza and march up Main Street to Oakdale Mall.

Immediately following the parade, all types of festivities have been planned. Game booths, antique fire engine rides, clowns, and the dunk tank with many VIP's sitting on the wet seat. Hotdogs, corn, cold drinks, cotton candy, etc will be sold.

Firefighters from Billerica, Wilmington, North Reading and Tewksbury with the help of their wives and with the support of many of the social and fraternal organizations have a full weekend of family oriented activities planned with all proceeds to go to Muscular Dystrophy.

A 1979 Ford Pinto courtesy of Wilmington Ford will be raffled off and the winning ticket will be drawn at the telethon.

The 1979 Telethon pledge number in the Greater Lowell area is 459-4222. The phones at the pledge center will be open at 6 p.m. Sunday.

On view at the Pru



Tina Prentiss of Eames Street, Wilmington, an incorporator of The Women's Artist Organization, Women Exhibiting in Boston (WEB) stands with her collage "Americana-Scandia" which is part of a WEB exhibit now on display in the Prudential tower lobby, Boston, through the month of August.

"Charlie Brown" opens Friday

The delightful antics of the Peanuts gang will be entertaining Wilmington audiences this weekend when the Wilmington Spotlighters present "You're a Good Man Charlie Brown."

The curtain will rise at 8 p.m. Friday, August 24 and Saturday, August 25 at the VFW Hall on Route 38 in Wilmington Center.

The show is the Spotlighters' sixth musical production. It follows closely on the heels of last spring's well-executed Sound of Music.

Included in the cast are Barry Gallo (Charlie Brown), Tracy Tenney (Lucy), Gary Myers (Schroeder), Jim Hunt (Linus), Patricia Hanlon (Patty) and Don Baillargeon (Snoopy).

For information regarding tickets call 667-8634 or 646-2327. Tickets will be available at the door on the nights of performance.

Softball game for MD

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Carlene Riccelli appointed principal in Amherst



It is not uncommon for a student embarking on a college career to head west to the town of Amherst, to attend the University of Massachusetts. Most students stay in that town only long enough to earn their bachelor's degree.

Carlene Ricceli has been there for 13 years, long enough to earn both a doctorate of education from U Mass., and the principal's job in the Amherst - Pelham Regional High School.

A guidance counselor in the school since 1976, Riccelli was chosen from a field of eight candidates to run the school for one year, while the permanent principal is on a leave of absence.

Since her appointment earlier this month, she has been the subject of some very favorable articles in the newspapers that serve the Amherst area. Noting that she is considered a high achiever, an article in the Daily Hampshire Gazette said, "One gets a sense, from her comments and those of her collegues, that her students always come first."

Riccelli's abilities in communications were a key in her winning the position. "Communications is the school's worst problem," the Gazette quotes one school committee member as saying. Last year, the school committee presented her with a merit award specifically for her accomplishments in improving communications among high school students, teachers and parents.

Riccelli graduated from Wilmington High School in 1966, and went to U Mass with a scholarship from the Wilmington Women's Club. Four years later, she began her teaching career, as an elementary school music supervisor in the town of Montague.

After receiving an M.A. degree in counseling education and an Ed.D., both from UMass, she became a guidance counselor at Amherst-Pelham. At the high school, she has served in individual and group counseling, career guidance, crisis intervention, peer counseling, and referrals to community agencies.

A very active member of the community, she is a member of the Amherst Town Meeting. She won that post with a single write-in vote this spring. "That I did myself," the Amherst Record quotes her as saying.

Her career and activities have kept her parents busy collecting newspaper clippings. Carmen and Arline Ricceli have lived on Shawsheen Avenue, Wilmington for 30 years.

One clipping is an editorial from the Amherst Record which calls her "a stunning accomplisher."

Another clipping is a review of a musical production in the Springfield Daily News. Playing the part of a school flirt in "The Boy Friend," she is credited with giving an "animated performance." The play is presented by the Arena Civic Theater in Greenfield, through August 25, at the Franklin County Fairgrounds.

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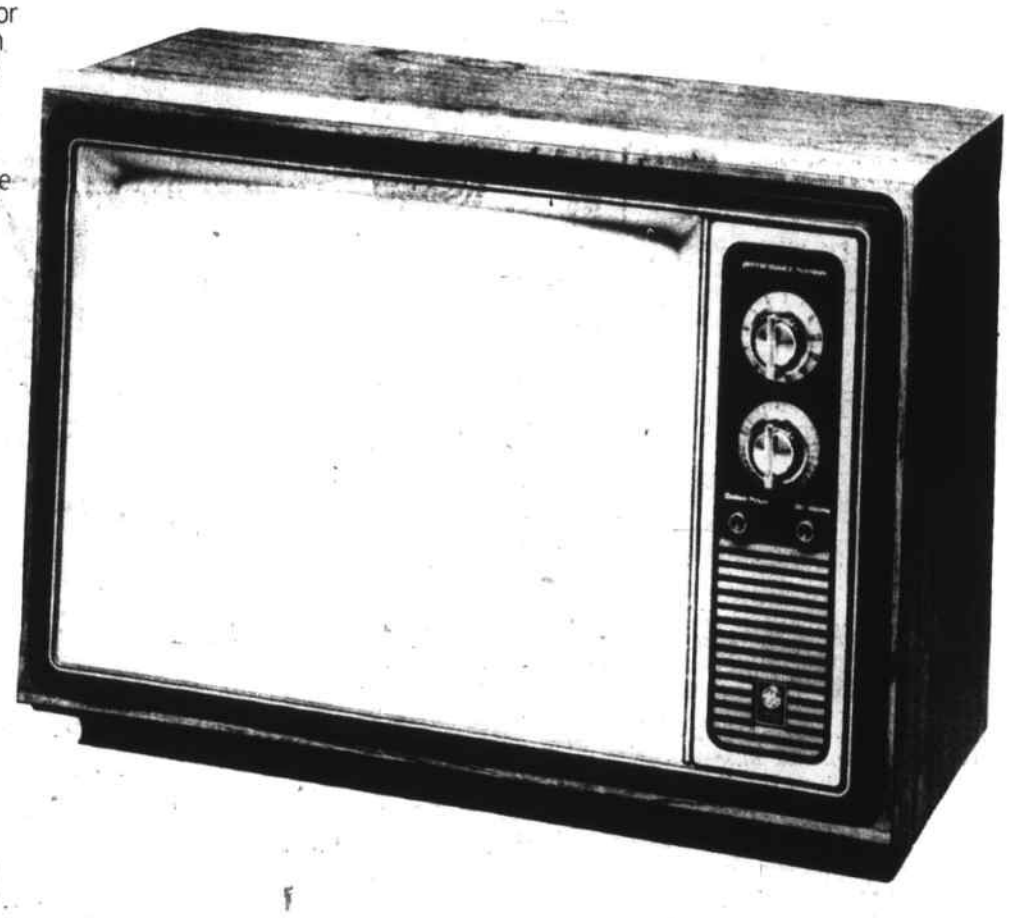
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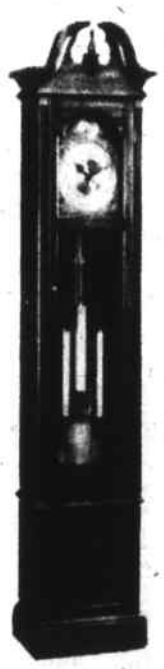
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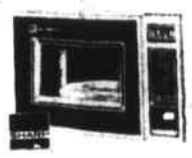
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obituaries

Services Thursday for Francis J. Melanson

Francis J. Melanson, of Circuit Drive, Kingston, N.H. died on Sunday evening at Exeter Hospital C.C. Unit following a lengthy illness.

Born in Cambridge, 77 years ago, he was the son of the late Thomas and the late Mary Melanson. He lived in Cambridge during his youth, educated in Cambridge Schools and graduated from Rindge Technical High School. He lived in Wilmington for over 20 years and moved to Kingston, N.H. in 1962.

Mr. Melanson was employed for many years in the construction department of First National Stores prior to starting his own construction firm, Melridge Homes, from which he retired in 1970.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ann L. (Robertson-Washburn) Melanson, a son, Robert L. Melanson of Leominster, three sisters: Mrs. Charles King of Allston, Mrs. Frederick Pearson of Wilmington and Mrs. Sebastian Patti of Quincy; also two stepsons, Paul Washburn of Somers, Conn. and Philip Washburn of Salem, Mass. Nine grandchildren, two great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews also survive.

He was also the father of the late Francis J. Melanson, Jr.

The funeral will be held from the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 374 Main Street on Thursday morning at 9:00 followed by a Funeral Mass at St. Thomas Church at 10:00. Burial will take place in the family lot, Wildwood Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home on Wednesday from 2:00 to 4:00 and from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

F. Gertrude Colgate died in Laconia

Mrs. F. Gertrude Colgate, 89, widow of Ellis F. Colgate, of 26 Lewis Street, Laconia, N.H., and formerly of Wilmington, died at the Lakes Region General Hospital, Laconia Friday morning.

She was born in Somerville, March 11, 1980, the daughter of John H. and Alice (Conant) Addison and lived in Laconia for the past 14 years.

She was a former member of the First Parish Unitarian Church of Billerica; a member of the First Unitarian Church of Laconia, the Senior Citizens' Club and the Save the Mill Society.

Mrs. Colgate is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Frederick Fillmore of Laconia, Mrs. James L. Brann Jr. of Ithaca, N.Y. and Mrs. Walter Pyle of Shoreman, Vt. Eight grandchildren, several great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews also survive.

Memorial services were scheduled for two o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the First Unitarian Church, Pleasant Street, Laconia with the Rev. J. Bradbury Mitchell officiating.

Private burial will be in Wildwood Cemetery, Wilmington.

There are no calling hours. In lieu of flowers friends may send donations in her memory to the Save the Mill Society of the First Unitarian Church, both of Laconia, 03246. Services are under the direction of Wilkinson-Beane of Laconia.

Anna R. Peters, formerly of Aldrich Road

Mrs. Anna R. Peters, formerly of Aldrich Road, Wilmington died at Casa Grande Nursing HOme, Tewksbury on Saturday evening following a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Peters, who was 63 years of age, was born in East Boston, the daughter of the late Joseph and the late Anna (DiOrio) Beatrice. She made her home in Wilmington for the past 35 years and had been a member of St. Thomas Church choir for many years; St. Dorothy's Church Blessed Virgin Mary Sodality, and Catholic Daughters of America, Reading.

She was the wife of the late Daniel H. Peters and is survived by her three sisters: Mrs. Mary Vasquez of West Bridgewater; Mrs. Alice Biladeau of Burlington; Mrs. Irene Barletta of Dedham; her four brothers, Joseph A. Beatrice of North Billerica; Anthony J. Beatrice of Natick; Arthur D. Beatrice of Lancaster, California and Jerome Ambrogne of Melrose.

The funeral will be held from the W.S. Cavanaugh & Son Funeral Home, 374 Main Street this morning, (Wednesday) at 9:00 followed by a funeral mass at St. Dorothy's Church at 10:00. Burial will take place in the family lot, Wildwood Cemetery.

Wilmington United Methodist Church

The Rev. Richard L. Evans, pastor, 658-8217; Marc A. Nagel, asst. pastor, 658-2912; office, 658-4519.

Sunday, Aug. 26: 8 a.m., Early Worship and communion; 10 a.m., Family worship, sermon, children's story and communion.

Monday: 7:30 p.m., Commission on Evangelism; 8 p.m., Board of Trustees.

Tuesday: 8:30 p.m., Alcoholics Anonymous in Fellowship Hall.

Wednesday: 7:30 p.m., Bible study.

Thursday: 8 p.m., Prayer-Healing

Suffolk University dean's list

Six Wilmington students have been named to the Deans List at Suffolk University, for having a "B" or higher average, during the spring semester.

Named in the College of Liberal Arts were Deborah Banda, 7 Marie Drive; Kevin Graham, 135 Grove Ave.; Todd Little, 29 Jacquith Rd., and Gerald T. McGrath, 94 Glen Road.

In the College of Business Administration Joseph Emond of 7 Westdale Ave. and Earl W. Zimmerman of 7 Charlotte Rd., were named.

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Morris Spellman of West Street, Wilmington will be a year wiser on August 26.

Janice MacEachern of Kirk Street, Wilmington will make it all the way to 16 on August 27.

Alicia Cuoco of Dunton Road, Wilmington will face a birthday cake blazing with nine candles on August 28.

Alicia will share greetings with Todd Boudreau of Roosevelt Road who will be 11 on August 28; Robert Palmer of Canal Street and Andy Parker of Lake Street, Tewksbury. Andy will make it all the way to 14 on the 28th.

August 29 will mark the 15th anniversary of the day Linda began hanging around the Pacini home on Boisvert Road, Tewksbury.

Dorothea Donnelly of Sprucewood Road, Wilmington and Eugene Trout of Lawrence Street will also be celebrating on August 29.

At least three Wilmington residents will be celebrating birthdays on August 30 - Annette Antinarelli of Cary Street who will be 14; Tommy Shufelt of Wedgewood Road and Marion Torrey of Lawrence Street.

Judy O'Connell of Broad Street, Wilmington will be six years old on August 31 and will share greetings with Ed Carrasco of Adams Street; Wilmington Highway Department Clerk Mary (Chick) Johnson and David Bucknam of Champion Street, Tewksbury.

From the fire log

Members of Wilmington's Fire Department answered 14 calls for assistance between August 13 and 19 including:

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Canning anyone?

A lecture-demonstration of the arts of canning and freezing food will be presented by the Middlesex County Extension Home Economist at Wilmington Memorial Library on Thursday, August 30 at 10 a.m.

Pre-registration is not necessary, but it is necessary to be on time as the program will be presented in several towns on the same day.

Anniversaries

The William Dayton's of Burlington Avenue, Wilmington will dance the Anniversary Waltz for the 35th time on August 26 and will be joined by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harris Street of Marion Street who will be celebrating their 28th anniversary on the same day.

The Lawrence Hillson's of Mackey Road, Wilmington will make it to their 24th anniversary on August 28.

August 30 will mark the 16th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pupa of Eames Street, Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Belbin of Whitefield Terrace, Wilmington will be celebrating for the 21st time on August 30.

It looks as though the anniversary star will have to be duplicated this week. Two Wilmington couples, the Sylvester Lyman's of Strout Avenue and the Arthur Bernard's of Parker Street will be celebrating their 49th anniversaries on August 31.

Visiting San Diego

Mrs. James (Pat) Gilligan of Chestnut Street, Wilmington is expected home on Thursday following an enjoyable vacation in California where she visited daughter Kathleen Gilligan and son-in-law Alan Proulx.

Home on leave

L-Cpl. Frank Downs of Ayotte Street, Wilmington is currently enjoying 30 days leave with friends and relatives in the area following a year's service on Okinawa.

He has been assigned to Camp Pendleton, near San Diego and will leave Wilmington around mid-September.

More coming

Organist Ken Wilson of Andover Street, Wilmington has said that he was sorry he had to turn down several requests for his last seven tickets for his upcoming Summer Pops Concert at Hammond Castle.

This concert has been sold out for nearly a week now, but Mr. Wilson has several more scheduled this year and will make ticket information available as early as possible.

Golden Ager

It would appear that the only Wilmington Golden Ager on the current birthday list is Joan Peterson of Brand Avenue who will be celebrating on August 30.

Gang way!!!

Neighbors in the area should consider themselves forewarned - Steve Bucknam of Champion Street, Tewksbury was awarded his driver's license on Wednesday, August 15.

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Disputed election results will stand

by Elaine DePasquale

Cries of foul were heard in Wilmington last week in connection with alleged ballot-stuffing and other irregularities in elections for senior class officers in June.

The parents of Steven Maga, a candidate for class president who lost the June 13 election by two votes and Joanne Maga who lost the vice-presidency by four votes, told the School Committee angrily last Wednesday that they hadn't been given an opportunity to present their views of the facts.

The Magas told the School Committee that not only had three senior homerooms been unable to participate in the election, but witnesses actually saw the alleged stuffing of ballot boxes occur.

They had not, however, Joan Maga said, been allowed to present these facts at a June 27 meeting when the School Committee voted to reverse the decision of the high school administration to allow a re-election to be held in September.

Meeting in closed session on that date with the parents of Diane Doyle, the apparent winner of the race for the senior class presidency, School Committee members decided to let the election stand.

"The elections were very poorly held. I think the administration owes the students an apology," offered School Committee Chairman Lester White. He did not, however, suggest that the School Committee reconsider its decision. "I can only promise that it won't happen again," he said.

According to Mrs. Maga, her request to speak in the open portion of the June 27 meeting was denied by Superintendent of Schools Walter Pierce. "I was told I couldn't even be anywhere in that building," she said. Although Maga said she understood why she was not allowed to participate in the executive session requested by the Doyle's, she said she had expected to be able to speak afterward, before a decision was made.

"I can't see how you can make a decision with one side," said Maga.

Pierce, who is recovering from major surgery, was not present at last week's meeting to comment.

Approximately half of the senior class of 169 students voted in the June 13 election. However, according to Maga, perhaps as many as 70 students were denied that opportunity.

"Room 109 had no teacher and no substitute. The students were supposed to find the ballots themselves," she said. In another room, she continued, one student suffered a seizure, effectively turning the voting process into chaos. A few ballots were cast in this room, she said.

The room may have been the same one in which another student told school administrators he had observed students stuffing the ballot boxes illegally.

Still another senior homeroom, under the supervision of shop teacher Mr. Mills, never voted because they never received ballots.

The original election tally showed Doyle with 80 votes, Maga with 79 votes and a third candidate, Kathy Butters, with 10 votes.

A recount held the next morning, in which Maga claims she saw candidates counting their own ballots, showed Doyle still the winner, this time by three votes, Maga said.

A meeting was then held between High School Principal George Eisenberg and all the senior class candidates. It was decided that the best thing to do would be to hold another election in the fall. An announcement to this effect was made over the public address system on June 14, the last day of classes.

"I don't understand why they are not having this election," said Maga.

"Some of these kids are 17 and 18 and will be voting for president next year," she said. "This is leaving a very bad taste in their mouths."

According to School Committee Member Linda McMenimen, however, ballots were available at the office after school for all students who did not vote in homeroom. Half a dozen students, she said, did actually vote this way, changing the final count.

"Those students knew that June 13 was election day. If they truly wanted to vote they would have found a way," she said.

McMenimen said she was "dismayed" that the election dispute was carried in a June article in the Boston Herald. "I don't know whether they will be watching in the fall to see what happened," she said.

In fact, a second article did appear last Friday in the Herald calling the class election a "brouhaha worthy of big city machine politics."

Contacted by the Herald in June, Beverly Doyle, Diane's mother, said she was distressed that her daughter's victory had been spoiled. "My daughter is an excellent student...she's going to be something some day," she said.

"The School Committee declared that I won," Diane Doyle told the Herald. "I just feel this whole thing shouldn't have come about."

Despite the fact that witnesses testified in the meeting between Eisenberg and the candidates, to seeing ballot tampering actually occur, the School Committee did not request to speak with these students when it considered the matter on June 27.

Nor was senior class advisor, Debra Alport, present at that meeting. White, however, indicated that she had been invited, but had chosen not to attend.

"When I walked out of that meeting, there was one big knot in my throat, but they are the School Committee," Eisenberg said.

"I'm kind of sorry," he added, "that no one on the School Committee asked what was the recommendation of the administration."

Eisenberg said, however, that he hoped the senior class would "swallow and build." "This whole thing is unfortunate, but perhaps the heritage of the Class of 1980 could be to see that this sort of thing never happens again," he said.

Present at last week's School Committee meeting along with the Magas were three other elected senior class officers. All were in favor of holding a new election.

"All of us here believed the elections weren't fair. A lot of our classmates didn't vote, so how can we say we really won?" asked Treasurer-elect Brenda Pilcher. "I think they are making it really difficult for us for our senior year. How do they expect us to be able to work with each other?"

"I guess the lesson in this is that the procedure is all wrong," volunteered Social Studies Director Patricia Gagnon. Gagnon, whose own son was involved in the junior class election, said she thought the procedures should be "tightened up" to insure fair elections. "Some of you won and some of you lost, but I don't think we can retrieve that," she said.

In agreement with her was Assistant Superintendent of Schools Derek Little. To insure fair election sin the future, Little said, the high school administration has been directed to develop a policy on elections.

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School opening news

Wilmington public schools will open for the fall term, Wednesday, September 5. There will be regular sessions in all schools.

The schools starting times for the 1979-80 school year are listed below. Parents should be aware that, Wednesday, September 5 is a regular Wednesday. There will be early dismissal day for Grades one through six. September 6 and 7 are full days for Grades one through six. The kindergarten a.m. session will begin September 5. The first day for students attending the p.m. kindergarten session will be September 6.

Lunches will be served all three days of this week.

Wednesday afternoon dismissal time for all elementary schools for the 1979-80 school year will be 1:30 p.m.

September 4, 1979: Grade nine only, Wilmington High School from 1:00 to 2:20 p.m. All ninth grade students eligible to ride the bus should be at their designated grade nine orientation day bus stops at 12:15 p.m.

September 5 - all grades as follows:

Wilmington High School, grades nine through 12, 7:50 a.m. to 2:20 p.m.; North and West Intermediates, grades seven and eight, 7:55 a.m. to 2:20 p.m..

All elementary schools (Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri.) grades one through six, 8:45 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.; except Wednesday, including Sept. 5, 8:45 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Kindergarten, A.M. session, Sept. 5, 8:45 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.; p.m. session, Sept. 6, 12:30 p.m. to 3 p.m.

There will be no p.m. kindergarten session on Wednesday, Sept. 5.

All classes in the S.E.E.M. Program will start September 6.

Wilmington senior citizens' topics

"Pickle Amendment"

With the increase in Social Security benefits received by Social Security recipients in July, many seniors lost their S.S.I. (gold checks). Previously loss of eligibility for S.S.I. could also mean loss of medicaid. In October 1976 a law was passed to protect people from losing Medicaid, because of a cost of living increase in Social Security checks. The law is known as the "Pickle Amendment." If you have any problem in this area, call the office at 657-7595.

Sitter wanted

A baby sitter is wanted by a couple Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday mornings from 7:00 to 8:00; Thursday from 7:00 to 10 a.m. and Friday from 7:00 to 11 a.m. $2.00 per hour. Call 658-5149.

Rodeo night

The Council on Aging will sponsor a "Night at the Rodeo" on Thursday evening, September 6 starting at 7:30 at the Shriners Auditorium on Fordham Road. Signing up is in progress at the Drop-in Center. A $2.00 nonrefundable deposit is required when registering.

Whist

The second whist party of the month will be held on Monday, August 27 starting at 1:00 p.m. at the Drop-in center. The Arts and Crafts group was very pleased with the large turnout for the last party, August 13.

Legal help

The legal advisor will be at the Drop-in Center on Wednesday, August 29. He is here to help with problems. Don't be reluctant to utilize his services.

Clinic

Blood pressure is taken at the Drop-in Center every Thursday for the convenience of the seniors. The Diabetes Clinic is held on the third Thursday of the month. A $1.00 fee is required for the diabetes test.

Hike and Bike

The Hike and Bike program has still openings for some participants, if you would like to join the walkers or bikers call the Drop-in Center.

Arts and Crafts

The Arts and Craft classes on Tuesday and Thursday mornings are coming along well. Those who attended certainly seemed to be enjoying themselves. Seniors wishing to join this group should just drop in on either or both of the meeting days. Here's a chance to learn a new hobby or brush up on an old one.

Project hire

On Tuesday morning Loretta Surbian of "Project Hire" in Burlington visited the Drop-in Center to explain to the seniors what this program entails. These jobs are all part time; they are funded under the older Americans Act through the National Council of Senior Citizens. Most of the work involves helping with services to other older people in the Minuteman region. Some of the jobs include Friendly Visitors, Adult Day Services, Transportation, Nutrition Aides, etc. The pay is $3.00 an hour. There are restrictions on income for these jobs. If you are interested, call Cathy Cooper at Minuteman Home Care Corp, 862-6215 to see if you qualify.

Lunch driver

The Council on Aging has a job opening for a Hot Lunch driver for our senior shut-ins. If you are interested call the Drop-in Center for details.

The Counsil is also requesting the services of one of our seniors to serve on the Board of the Minuteman Home Care Corp. If interested, call the Drop-in Center at 657-7595.

Freshman orientation September 4

On September 4, at 1 p.m., in the high school auditorium, Wilmington High School will conduct its annual Freshmen Orientation Program.

The freshmen will learn about their locker assignments and will meet their homeroom teachers and guidance counselors. In addition, Assistant Principal Harold Garrett, in charge of the Class of 1983 will extend his greetings. At the conclusion of the program there is to be free refreshments in the large cafeteria.

A special bus schedule arranged by Mr. DeLuca for September 4 only has been organized. All routes start at 12:30 to go to the High School only. Buses leave the High School for return trips at 2:45 p.m.

Route One

Chestnut Street and Butters Row; Chestnut Street and Mill Road; Chestnut Street and Hillside Way; Chestnut Street at No. 401; Main Street and Eames Street; Eames Street and Woburn Street; Woburn Street and Brentwood Avenue; Woburn Street at Lucci's Market to the High School.

Route Two

Suncrest Avenue and Ridge Road; West Street and Westdale Avenue; West Street and Kilmarnock Road; West Street and Woburn Street; Woburn Street and Kenwood Avenue; Woburn Street and Wildwood Street, to the high school.

Route Three

Concord Street and Woburn Street; Woburn Street School; Park Street and Gowing Road; Freeport Drive and Heather Drive; Hathaway Road and Carson Avenue; Carson Avenue and Marie Drive to the high school.

Route Four

Woburn Street and Andover Street; Andover Street at Riggerios; Andover Street at Baldwins; Andover Street at Carlsons; Ballardvale Street at Phillips; North Intermediate School parking lot; Salem Street and Bigger Avenue; Salem Street and Cunningham Street; Salem Street and Royal Street to the high school.

Route Five

Main Street at Tattersals; Main Street and Lloyd Road; Main Street at the Tewksbury line; Grove Avenue and Mildred Rogers School; Grove Avenue and Winchell Road; Lake Street and South Street to the high school.

Route Six

Shawsheen Avenue and Moore Street; Shawsheen Avenue and Nichols Street; Nichols Street and Fairmeadow Road; Fairmeadow Road and Jere Road; Shawsheen Avenue and Hopkins Street; Shawsheen Avenue and Aldrich Road to the high school.

Route Seven

Aldrich Road and Kendall Street; Aldrich Road and Forest Street; Forest Street and Cochrane Road; Forest Street and Congress Street; Burlington Avenue and Forest Street; Burlington Avenue and Swain Road; Burlington Avenue and Boutwell Street to the high school.

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Thursday: Roast Beef, Gravy, Au Gratin Potatoes, Mixed Vegetables, Wheat Bread, Fresh Orange.

Friday: Chicken Cutlet, Gravy, Whipped Potato, Green Beans, Rye Bread.

Energy audit program draws 100 homeowners

More than 100 Wilmington residents have taken advantage of a free home energy efficiency audit currently being offered in the town.

Assistant Town Manager Buzz Stapczynski told the selectmen Monday night that the service would continue to be offered until all families desiring it are served.

As much as a 40 per cent savings on energy expenditures has been estimated as possible for those who follow audit recommendations, Stapczynski said.

The program is called the Energy Conservation Analyses Program or ECAP. Under ECAP, homeowners in Wilmington may have their homes "audited" by a team of two heat loss auditors. They will determine the home's energy requirements, shortcomings and possible solutions.

ECAP is funded by the Cooperative Extension Service of the University of Massachusetts and CETA. Energy auditors are trained by the University of Massachusetts.

Included in the audit is an interview with the auditors, and home inspection including taking of measurements to determine heat loss through conduction. After the data is collected and analysed, a report is issued to the homeowner with specific energy conservation suggestions.

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PETITION TO FORECLOSE TAX LIEN

(SEAL) No. 50560, 50563, 52028 T.L.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, and to

50560 T.L.

Leo A. Murphy, now or formerly of Woburn, County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth; his heirs, devisees or legal representatives;

50563 T.L.

Edward H. Norton, now or formerly of Somerville, County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth; his heirs, devisees or legal representatives;

52028 T.L.

Thomas F. McNeil, now or formerly of Revere, County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth; his heirs, devisees or legal representatives;

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by **Town of Wilmington**, a municipal corporation, located in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth, to foreclose all rights of redemption from the tax lien proceedings described in said petition in and concerning a 5 certain parcels of land situate in said Town of Wilmington, in the County of Middlesex and in said Commonwealth, bounded and described in said petition as follows:

50563 T.L.

4500 sq. ft. more or less Feneuil Dr. Lots 224-225 Pinegrove Park. See Assessors Map 44, Parcel 166. Title Ref: Book 504, Page 26.

50560 T.L.

(1) 12,230 sq. ft. more or less E/S Main St. Lots 5, 6, 7, 15, 16, 17, 18, Pt. 4 and 19. See Assessors Map 25. Parcel 1. Title Ref: Book 1989, Page 68.

(2) Parcel No. 2 - 8614 sq. ft. more or less Main Street. See Assessors Map 25. Parcel 1A Lots 1, 2, 16, 17, 18, Pt. 3, 4, 15W, C.L. and I. Sec D blk 31. Title Ref: Book 1989, Page 68.

52028 T.L.

(1) 30,000 sq. ft. more or less Winston Ave. See Assessors Map 8, Parcel 69, Title Ref: Book 1567, Page 33 8-9-62 Lots 898-903 Wil. Manor

(2) Parcel No. 2 - 25,000 sq. ft. more or less Winston Ave. See Assessors Map 8, Parcel 80. Title Ref: Book 1567, Page 33 8-9-62 Lots 269-277 Wilm. Manor.

If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition you or your attorney must file a written appearance and an answer, under oath, setting forth clearly and specifically your objections or defense to each part of said petition, in the office of the Recorder of said Court in Boston (at the Court House), on or before the eighth day of October next.

Unless an appearance is so filed by or for you, your default will be recorded, the said petition will be taken as confessed and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

And in addition to the usual service of this notice as required by law, it is ordered that the foregoing citation be published forthwith once each week for three successive weeks in the Town Crier a newspaper published in said Wilmington.

Witness, WILLIAM I. RANDALL, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighth day of August in the year nineteen hundred and seventy-nine.

Attest with Seal of said Court.

Margaret M. Daley
Recorder

A22,29,S5

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(SEAL) No. 52029, 52030, 52031 T.L.

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52029 T.L.

Joseph Francis and **Thomas F. McNeil**, both now or formerly of Revere, County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth; their heirs, devisees or legal representatives;

52030 T.L.

Charles I. Graham, now or formerly of Wilmington, County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth; his heirs, devisees or legal representatives.

52031 T.L.

Charles I. Graham, now or formerly of Wilmington, County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth; his heirs, devisees or legal representatives;

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52029 T.L.

(1) Parcel No. 3 - 35,000 sq. ft. more or less, Calumet Road. See Assessors Map 8, Parcel 83. Title Ref: Book 1567, Page 33 8-9-62, Lots 283-289 Wilm. Manor.

(2) Parcel 4 - 43,000 sq. ft. more or less Quincy St. See Assessors Map 34. Parcel 40. Title Ref: Book 1567, Page 32 8-9-62 Lots 41-48 B.F. Wild Plan.

52030 T.L.

(1) 28,760 sq. ft. more or less 13 Kelley Road. See Assessors Map 51, Parcel 103. Title Ref: Book 1367, Book 151 4-4-57 Lot 26 Narrow Gauge Pk.

(2) Parcel No. 2 - 12,000 sq. ft. more or less Kelley Rd. See Assessors Map 51, Parcel 94A. Title Ref: Book 1367, Page 151 4-4-57 Lot 27 Narrow Gauge Park.

52031 T.L.

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LAND COURT
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(SEAL) No. 45822, 47468, 50552 T.L.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, and to

45822 T.L.

William T. Mosher and **Audry L. Mosher**, both now or formerly of Andover, County of Essex and said Commonwealth; their heirs, devisees or legal representatives;

47468 T.L.

Ernest R. Collins, now or formerly of Ontangon, State of Michigan; **Mary D. Cumming**, now or formerly of Nogales, State of Arizona; their heirs, devisees or legal representatives;

50552 T.L.

Robert P. Stevens, Trustee of **Berkshire Realty Trust**, now or formerly of Winchester, County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth; **Nashan Ganjian**, now or formerly of Salem, County of Essex; **Joseph DeVaux** and **Virginia E. DeVaux**, both nor or formerly of Boston, County of Suffolk; all of said Commonwealth; their heirs, devisees or legal representatives;

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by **Town of Wilmington**, a municipal corporation, located in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth to foreclose all rights of redemption from the tax lien proceedings described in said petition in and concerning a 4 certain parcels of land situate in said Town of Wilmington, in the County of Middlesex and in said Commonwealth, bounded and described in said petition as follows:

45822 T.L.

2,412 sq. ft. more or less off Andover St. See Assesors' Map R3, Parcel 60, pt. L 4.

47468 T.L.

Land in said Wilmington shown as Parcel 52 on Assessors' Map 55, being Lot 264 on Ld. Ct. Pl. 6026E, sh. 2, described in Mx. No. Reg. Dist. Cert. of Title 2120, B. 13, P. 247, outstanding in the name of Minnie J. Hewitt.

50552 T.L.

(1) 12,00 sq. ft. more or less Medford Ave. Lots 114-119 Inc. Wilm. Hgts. See Assessors Map 9, Parcel 75. Title Ref: Book 1752, Page 190

(2) Parcel No. 3 - 2830 sq. ft. more or less Newfield Ave. Lots 14-15 Wilm. Terr. See Assessors Map 32 - Parcel 46. Title Ref: Book 1752, Page 189.

If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition you or your attorney must file a written appearance and an answer, under oath, setting forth clearly and specifically your objections or defense to each part of said petition, in the office of the Recorder of said Court in Boston (at the Court House), on or before the eighth day of October.

Unless an appearance is so filed by or for you, your default will be recorded, the said petition will be taken as confessed and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

And in addition to the usual service of this notice as required by law, it is ordered that the foregoing citation be published forthwith once each week for three successive weeks in the Town Crier a newspaper published in said Wilmington.

Witness, WILLIAM I. RANDALL, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighth day of August in the year nineteen hundred and seventy-nine.

Attest with Seal of said Court.

Margaret M. Daly
Recorder

A22.29.S5

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
LAND COURT
PETITION TO FORECLOSE TAX LIEN

(SEAL) No. 50553, 50555, 50560 T.L.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, and to

50553 T.L.

Burlington Bank and Trust, a duly existing corporation, having an usual place of business in Boston, County of Suffolk; **Domenic Termianello**, now or formerly of Revere, County of Suffolk; **Robert P. Stevens**, Trustee of **Berkshire Realty Trust**, now or formerly of Winchester, County of Middlesex; all of said Commonwealth; **Joseph DeVaux** and **Virginia E. DeVaux**, both now or formerly of Boston, County of Suffolk and said Commonwealth; their heirs, devisees or legal representatives;

50555 T.L.

George A. Deland, now or formerly of Springfield, County of Hampden; **Teka M. Anderson**, now or formerly of Boston, County of Suffolk; both said Commonwealth; their heirs, devisees or legal representatives;

50560 T.L.

Nickolas Krawson and **Salomis Krawson**, both now or formerly of Danvers, County of Essex and said Commonwealth; their heirs, devisees or legal representatives;

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by **Town of Wilmington**, a municipal corporation, located in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth, to foreclose all rights of redemption from the tax lien proceedings described in said petition in and concerning a 3 certain parcels of land situate in said Town of Wilmington, in the County of Middlesex and in said Commonwealth, bounded and described in said petition as follows:

50553 T.L.

Parcel No. 4 - 2830 sq. ft. more or less N/S/ Norfolk Ave. Lots 98-101 Silver Lake Manor. See Assessors Map 32, Parcel 47, Title Ref: Book 1752, Page 189.

50555 T.L.

1875 sq. ft. more or less Lynn Ave. See Assessors Map 10, Parcel 35A. Title Ref: Book 453, Page 24.

50560 T.L.

29,000 sq. ft. more or less Chelsea Ave. Lots 261-274 Wilmington Heights. See Assessors Map 9, Parcel 66. Title Ref: Book 585, Page 424.

If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition you or your attorney must file a written appearance and an answer, under oath, setting forth clearly and specifically your objections or defense to each part of said petition, in the office of the Recorder of said Court in Boston (at the Court House), on or before the eighth day of October next.

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Margaret M. Daly
Recorder

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
LAND COURT
PETITION TO FORECLOSE TAX LIEN

(SEAL) No. 52036, 52042 and 52043 T.L.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, and to

52036 T.L.

William J. Morrissey, Jr., now or formerly of Watertown, County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth; his heirs, devisees or legal representatives;

52042 T.L.

Eric G. Swanson, now or formerly of Woburn, County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth; his heirs, devisees or legal representatives;

52043 T.L.

Patrick A. Thornton, now or formerly of Dorchester, County of Suffolk; **Peter Thornton**, now or formerly of Lawrence, County of Essex; **Frances P. Thornton**, now or formerly of Malden, County of Middlesex; **Catherine Anne Thornton**, now or formerly of Malden, County of Middlesex; all said Commonwealth; their heirs, devisees or legal representatives;

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by **Town of Wilmington**, a municipal corporation, located in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth, to foreclose all rights of redemption from the tax lien proceedings described in said petition in and concerning a 3 certain parcels of land situate in said Town of Wilmington, in the County of Middlesex and in said Commonwealth, bounded and described in said petition as follows:

52036 T.L.

5,000 sq. ft. more or less, Dorchester Street. See Assessors Map 11, Parcel 53. Title Ref: Book 1840, Page 515, 4-26-68, Lots 21-22, Block 41, Shawsheen Pines.

52042 T.L.

5,000 sq. ft. more or less, 8 Sherwood Road. See Assessors Map 8, Parcel 19A. Title Ref: Book 81, Page 215, 8-16-67, L.C. 68569, Lots 99-100 Sunshine Pk. Cert. No. 15,708.

52043 T.L.

10,000 sq. ft. more or less, Washington Road. See Assessors Map 9. Parcel 34. Title Ref: Lot 649-655, 672-678 Wilmington Manor.

If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition you or your attorney must file a written appearance and an answer, under oath, setting forth clearly and specifically your objections or defense to each part of said petition, in the office of the Recorder of said Court in Boston (at the Court House), on or before the eighth day of October next.

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Margaret M. Daley
Recorder

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
LAND COURT
PETITION TO FORECLOSE TAX LIEN

(SEAL) No. 52032, 52033, 52035 T.L.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, and to

52032 T.L.

William Hrinchuk, **Hazel I. Hrinchuk**, both now or formerly of Burlington, County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth; their heirs, devisees or legal representatives;

52033 T.L.

Paul M. McCabe, now or formerly of Tewksbury, County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth; his heirs, devisees or legal representatives;

52035 T.L.

Patricia A. Morrissey, now or formerly of Watertown, County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth; her heirs, devisees or legal representatives;

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by **Town of Wilmington**, a municipal corporation, located in the County of Middlesex and said Commonwealth, to foreclose all rights of redemption from the tax lien proceedings described in said petition in and concerning a 3 certain parcels of land situate in said Town of Wilmington, in the County of Middlesex and in said Commonwealth, bounded and described in said petition as follows:

52032 T.L.

1.280 A more or less, off Burlington Avenue. See Assessors Map 6, Parcel 71. Title Ref: Book 1382, Page 23-9-16-57

52033 T.L.

2.770 A more or less, 122-136 Lake Street. See Assessors Map 34, Parcel 71. Title Ref: Lot 69-71 and pt. 68. Angle Plan.

52035 T.L.

5,000 sq. ft. more or less, Albany Street. See Assessors Map 11, Parcel 47. Title Ref: Lots 1-2, Block 41, Book 1840, Page 516 4-26-68 Shawsheen Pines.

If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition you or your attorney must file a written appearance and an answer, under oath, setting forth clearly and specifically your objections or defense to each part of said petition, in the office of the Recorder of said Court in Boston (at the Court House), on or before the eighth day of October next.

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Attest with Seal of said Court.

Margaret M. Daley
Recorder

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TOWN OF WILMINGTON

TOWN MANAGER
INVITATION TO BID

Sealed bids for the street construction of Dexter Street, King Street Extension, and Reading Avenue will be received at the office of the Town Manager, Town Hall, Wilmington, Massachusetts 01887 until Tuesday, September 11, 1979, at 11:00 a.m., where and when they will be publicly opened and read. Detailed specifications may be obtained at the office of the Town Manager, Town Hall, Wilmington, Massachusetts.

The Town of Wilmington reserves the right to reject any or all bids or any parts thereof not deemed to be in the best interest of the Town of Wilmington.

Sterling C. Morris
Town Manager

A22,29

TOWN OF WILMINGTON

BOARD OF APPEALS
Case 84-79

A Public Hearing will be held at the Town Hall Annex, 150 Middlesex Avenue on September 11, 1979, at 7:00 p.m., on the application of **Michael & Patricia McGonagle**, 22 Fairview Avenue, to acquire a variance from section V-I (Schedule of Requirements) to retain property that was constructed approximately 28 years ago with minimum side yard and front yard requirements. (Assessor's Map 51 Lot 77)

Bruce MacDonald
Board of Appeals

A22,29

BOARD OF APPEALS
Case 85-79

A Public Hearing will be held at the Town Hall Annex, 150 Middlesex Avenue on September 11, 1979, at 7:00 p.m., on the application of **Richard & Diana Fay**, 109 Aldrich Road, to acquire a variance from section V-I (Schedule of Requirements) to permit the continued use of two existing auxiliary buildings located within a reserved side yard. (Assessor's Map 20 Lot 102).

Bruce MacDonald
Board of Appeals

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BOARD OF APPEALS
Case 86-79

A Public Hearing will be held at the Town Hall Annex, 150 Middlesex Avenue on September 11, 1979, at 7:00 p.m., on the application of **Douglas & Eileen Chisholm**, 41 Birchwood Road, to acquire a variance from section V-I (Schedule of Requirements) to permit the erection of a radio antenna in excess of thirty-eight feet in height. (Assessor's Map 81 Lot 19).

Bruce MacDonald
Board of Appeals

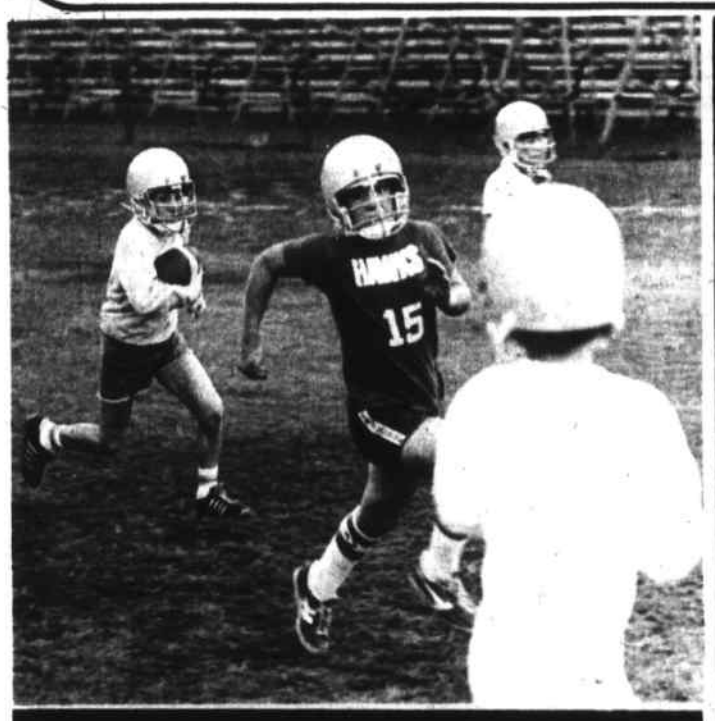
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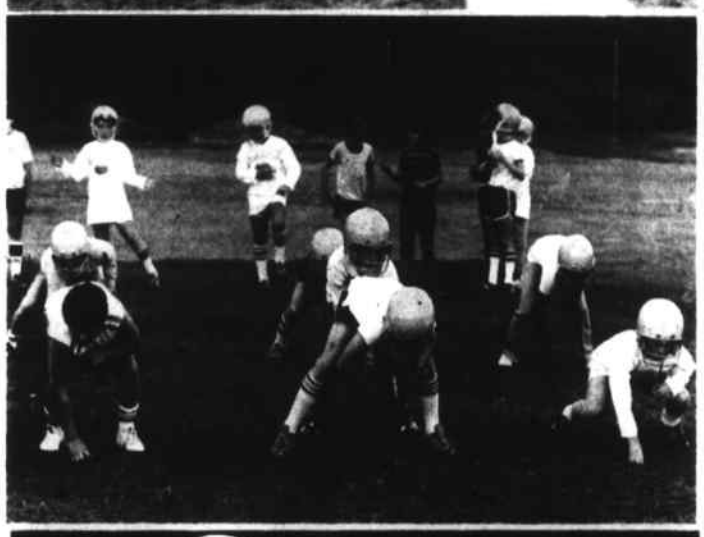
WILMINGTON COMMUNITY FUND, INC.
Financial Report to the Directors and Members
Year Ended December 31, 1978

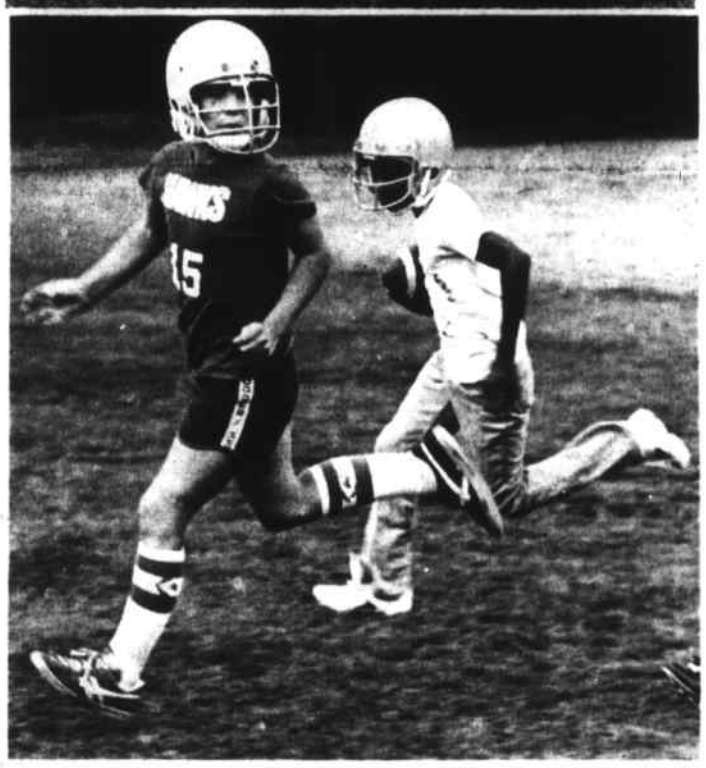
Cash on hand January 1, 1978			
Reading Savings Bank No. 34360 (Savings)		$21,000.21	
Reading Savings Bank No. 21-1284 (Reserve)		15,910.13	
Bay Bank Middlesex No. 17-981-0315 (Checking)		257.74	$37,168.08
Receipts:			
Contributions:			
Walk-A-Thon	$5,920.24		
Payroll Deductions	8,139.52		
Business and Professional	5,050.50		
Personal	450.00		
Transfer from "Fish"	765.53	$20,325.79	
Bank Interest		1,798.10	22,123.89
Disbursements:			
Administrative:			
Supplies	$744.66		
Advertising	246.80		
P.O. Box Rental and Postage	88.10		
Audit Fee	50.00		
Division of Public Charities	25.00	$1,154.56	
Contributions to Public Charities:			
Cerebral Palsy	$3,000.00		
Girl Scouts	2,000.00		
Boy Scouts	2,000.00		
Crusaders	1,500.00		
Little League	1,500.00		
Pop Warner	1,500.00		
Red Cross	1,500.00		
Camp 40 Acres	1,200.00		
Campfire Girls	1,070.00		
U.S.O.	350.00		
Salvation Army	300.00	15,920.00	
Emergency Direct Relief:			
Food	$1,288.26		
Housing	700.00		
Oil Heat	634.87		
Electricity	390.31		
Chistmas remembrances	257.08		
Medical	75.00	3,345.52	20,420.08
Cash on hand December 31, 1978			
Reading Savings Bank No. 34360 (Savings)		$16,413.35	
Reading Savings Bank No. 21-1284 (Reserve)		16,865.12	
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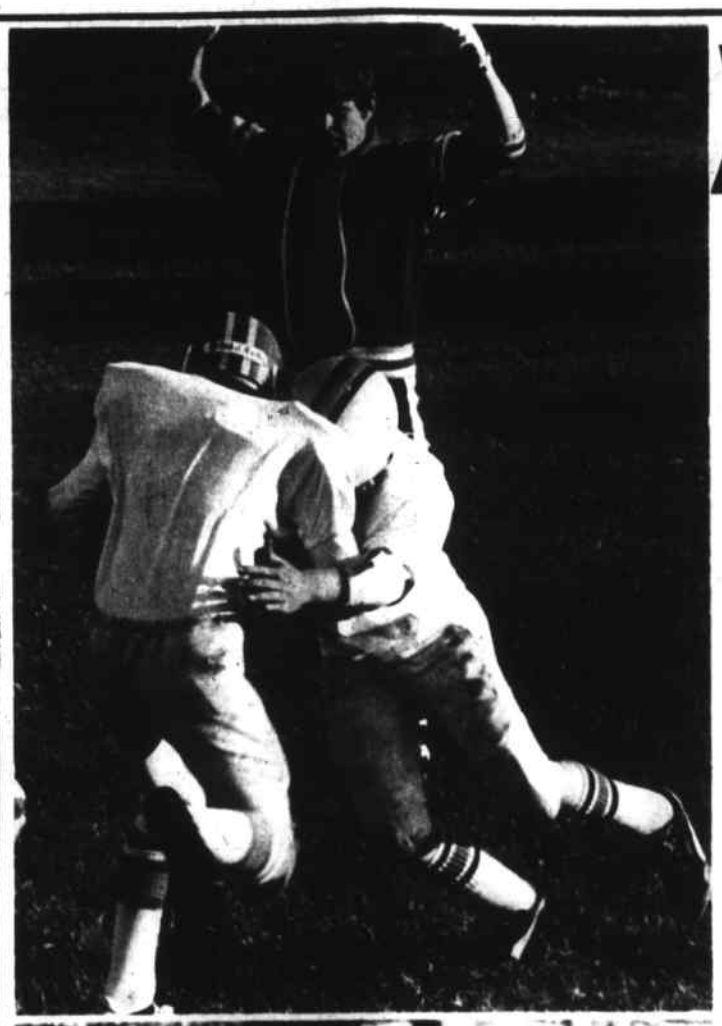
Richard D. Duggan
Treasurer

Town Crier Sports











It's back to the gridiron for Pop Warner teams

Pop Warner football teams in Tewksbury and Wilmington have started practicing for their September openers. Clockwise (first three photos), the Wilmington teams run through their offense; Tewksbury A' team coach Kenny Hague instructs his charges to lift and drive when tackling; and Tewksbury A' team backs are put through their paces.

Wilmington Men's Softball playoffs

Aslanis, Rocco's take round-robin lead

Aslanis Fisheries, Rocco's, D&D Gulf and Doyle's Hardware have all advanced to the round-robin finals of the Wilmington Men's Softball League playoffs. In the semifinal series Aslanis tipped Dunkirk Express 2-1; Rocco's got by Mac's 2-1; D&D Gulf edged Compugraphic 2-1 and Doyle's Hardware completed the nip and tuck semifinal round with an exciting 2-1 conquest of North Wilmington Shell.

The round-robin finals opened Monday night at the Town Park with Aslanis Fisheries clipping D&D Gulf 9-6 and Rocco's edging Doyle's Hardware 6-4. Highlights of round robin and semifinal action:

Monday, August 20-Aslanis Fisheries 9, D&D Gulf 6...Aslanis scored one run in the bottom of the sixth and two more in the seventh inning and Dave Newhouse came on to retire the final seven D&D batters with a stellar job in relief of Aslanis started John Trickett.

Bob Butters and Tom Aprile rapped three hits apiece for Aslanis and Bruce Butters drove home three runs for the Fish men. Mike Landers led the D&D cause with a two run single as Bernie Wagstaff took the loss.

Rocco's 6, Doyle's Hardware 4...Wally Neal and Kris Hinxman exchanged five-hitters, but it was Neal who emerged the winner thanks to the bat of Bob Aprile who drove in three runs via a home run and two singles while also scoring three runs himself.

Rocco's jumped out to a 3-0 lead in the bottom of the first inning and was on top 5-2 after three frames.

Semifinal series

Sunday, August 19-Doyle's Hardware 14, North Wilmington Shell 4...A seven run third inning helped Kris Hinxman cruise to this win as Tom Bromander spanked three hits for Doyle's while Barry Hanson, Paul Gracia and Denny Doyle each had two safeties for the winners who advanced to the round-robin finals.

Steve McNamara had three hits and Bob Noel two in support of losing hurler Rusty Heubner, who was hurt by that big third inning and five more Doyle's runs in the bottom of the fifth.

D&D Gulf 9, Compugraphic 8...Blaise McDougall, Bill Swan and Roy Meyers banged two hits apiece for red-hot D&D Gulf as Roy Meyers pitched the win over Ray Boutin.

Boutin banged a homer for Compu and Rick Koenig and John Sablock rapped two hits apiece. D&D took a 6-0 lead after two innings before the Compu club rallied with a four run fourth.

Friday, August 17-Rocco's 4, Mac's 2...Wally Neal chucked a four-hitter and Bill Harrison slapped two hits and drove home the winning run in the bottom of the fourth inning.

Snooky Lynch rounded out the winning offense with two hits and Joe Quinn ripped a pair of hits in support of losing pitcher Tom Woods.

Aslanis Fisheries 10, Dunkirk Express 8...Ed Doherty, Bob Hogg and John McCarthy all ripped two hits for Aslanis as Dave Newhouse hung tough for the win over George Crowley. Rich Russo and Ted Wicks each had two hits for Dunkirk Express who rallied with four runs in the top of the fifth inning and three more for the final scare in the seventh.

Thursday, August 16-Doyle's Hardware 7, North Wilmington Shell 5...John Smith banged a homer and a single for the winners while Tom Bromander, Paul Gracia and Steve Brander all had two hits in support of Kris Hinxman who hurled the win over Rusty Heubner.

Jim Busby (three hits) and Dave Carozza (two hits) triggered the Shell attack, but a four run first inning put their club in a hole that it never recovered from.

D&D Gulf 15, Compugraphic 6...Bill Swan lashed two triples while Mark Peters, Alan Swan and Bill Kelley all had two hits as D&D took a 6-0 lead in the top of the first inning and were never headed.

Jim Robertson paced the Compu offense with two hits and four RBI's and Dennis Morrissey slapped two hits and drove in a pair of runs that helped his club to five runs over the first three innings. Bernie Wagstaff got the win over Ray Boutin.

Wednesday, August 15-Rocco's 12, Mac's 11...Bill Cole singled in the tying run and scored the game winner for Rocco's in the top of the seventh in a playoff slugfest at the Town Park.

Bob Aprile stroked two hits for the winners while Joe Quinn banged three safeties and Art Sugrue turned red-hot for Mac's with a three run homer and a single. Wally Neal was the winning pitcher and Tom Woods took the loss.

Aslanis Fisheries 21, Dunkirk Express 11...Bruce Butters went four for five, Bob Butters stroked three hits in this Aslanis playoff rout, and Dennis DeMaggio rounded out the attack for winning pitcher Dave Newhouse with a double and a triple.

Don Roberts was a one man gang for Dunkirk with six RBI's via a single, a double and a home run. Paul Bush went three for three for Dunkirk. George Crowley was the losing pitcher.

Tuesday, August 14-Compugraphic 11, D&D Gulf 8...Winning pitcher Ray Boutin and Bob Silva slashed two hits apiece for the winners who got to losing pitcher Roy Meyers late in the game with three runs in the fourth, four in the fifth and three more in the top of the sixth inning. Peter Swan led the Gulf attack with four hits.

North Wilmington Shell 11, Doyle's Hardware 10...Ray Noel drove home six runs for Shell with a triple and two homers while mates Bob Noel and Jim Busby rapped two hits apiece.

Bob Cheney had three hits and three RBI's for Doyle's and losing pticher Kris Hinxman slapped a pair of hits. Rusty Heubner hurled the win for North Wilmington Shell.

Monday, August 13-Dunkirk Express 11, Aslanis Fisheries 9...An eight run second inning triggered the Dunkirk win as Jim Peterson blasted a two run triple and Bob Peterson reached losing pitcher John Trickett for a two run single. Rich Russo rounded out the winning attack with a pair of hits.

Aslanis' Dave Newhouse dented

Softball playoffs page 10

Frank's TV State Champs

Frank's TV of Lowell is the State Modified Pitch Softball champ after some dramatic action Sunday at the Wilmington Town Park.

Frank's, hosts of the double-elimination tournament along with Wilmington Forms, completed their 8-1 surge Sunday with wins over Mike's of Worcester 13-4, Newburyport Park Lunch 7-3 and then 7-6 in the championship game.

Frank's and Park Lunch have both qualified for the National Modified Pitch Tournament that gets underway this Thursday in Binghampton, New York.

Field hockey tryouts

Wilmington High School field hockey practice and tryouts will begin Monday, August 27 at the high school at 9 a.m. All ninth graders planning to play are expected to report at this time.

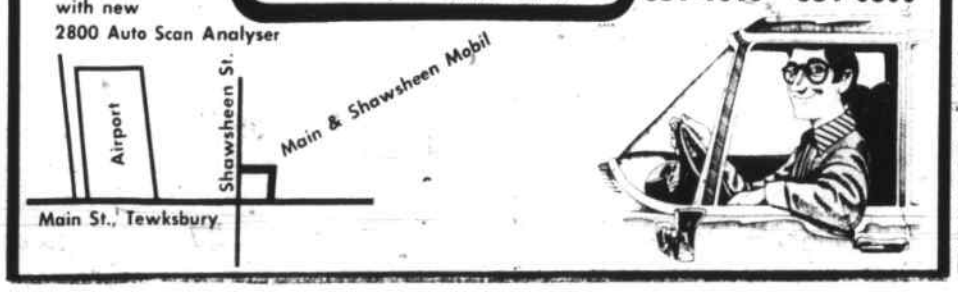
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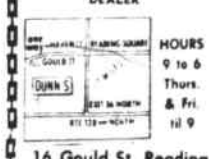
WILMINGTON HIGH SCHOOL
NOTICE TO ATHLETES
Fall Sports Physicals
Girls: Wed., Aug 22 7 P.M.
Boys: Thurs., Aug. 23 7 P.M.
Wilmington High School gym
Football physicals for camp will be given on Sunday, Aug. 26, 10 a.m.

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NOTICE OF VACANCY
The following positions are available in the Wilmington Public School System:
ATHLETIC TRAINER
HEAD FRESHMAN FOOTBALL COACH
These positions are non-tenured, and renewable yearly pending satisfactory performance and evaluation.
Interested persons should apply in writing to Mr. James M. Gillis, Director of Physical Education, Curriculum Center, Middlesex Avenue, Wilmington, Mass. 01887.
Applications Close: Thursday, August 30, 1979

Cesspools & Septic Tanks Pumped Out



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933-1077 Wilmington 658-2223







Rick Cooke photos

Teddys eliminated

The Tewksbury Teddy's were eliminated from the Middlessex League playoffs with an 11-6 loss to Woburn at Memorial Field Monday night.

Bottom, l-r: Patty Murphy looks back to watch a play at firstbase after advancing to second; and Katie Albert rounds third and heads for home to score an early Teddy run.

In top photo Murphy sprints for first to beat out a bunt in the first inning.

Tewksbury Recreation race results

100 yard dash

Age five: First Don Higgins, 2nd Tommy Talbot, 3rd Danny Roberson.

Age four: First Peter Mansey, 2nd Marc Picardi, 3rd Kevin Mulcahey, 4th Billy Hudson.

Age three: First Suzanne Killen, 2nd Heather Mackey, 3rd Audrey McManus, 4th Lori Quinn.

Age 11: First Anthony Thompson, 2nd Bobby Ware, 3rd Michael Daley. Age 12: First Christine Nazzaro, 2nd Karen Fahey, 3rd Michele Piccolo.

Age 13: First Beverly Luken, 2nd Eleanor Letteri, 3rd Lisa Branham.

220 yard dash

Age 10: First Mary Nawossa, 2nd Rose Fazio, 3rd Leah MacPherson, 4th Ann Marie Malatesta.

Age nine: First Mark Emerson, 2nd John Glebus, 3rd Jeff Nazzaro, 4th Jimmy Quinn, 5th Jeff Masse, 6th Matthew Jarek.

Age nine: First Karen Letteri, 2nd Michelle McLeod, 3rd Tracy Monahan, 4th Michelle Tanguay.

Age eight: First Wendy Marotta, 2nd Jill Kutcher, 3rd Kerry Silk, 4th Michelle Ryan, 5th Suzette Beaulieu.

Age seven: First Scott Cooper, 2nd Mark Donahue, 3rd Matthew Thompson, 4th Teddy Fazio.

100 yard dash

Age 10: First Beth Luken, 2nd Debby Byrne, 3rd Leah MacPherson, 4th Jodi Sutherland.

Age 10: First Cliff Marotta, 2nd, tie Bobby Hunt and Michael Bernetich.

Age nine: First Karen Letteri, 2nd Frances Nawossa, 3rd Melissa Catalano, 4th Tracy Monahan.

Age nine: First Mark Emerson, 2nd Jeff Nazzaro, 3rd Steven Gendron, 4th Steven Knight.

Age eight: First Craig Tanguay, 2nd Bryan Cedorchuk 3rd Bobby Doyle.

Age eight: First Wendy Marotta, 2nd Jill Kutcher, 3rd, tie Michelle Ryan and Kerry Silk.

Age seven: First Margaret Orlandella, 2nd Kim Davis, 3rd Jennifer Horan, 4th Karen Thompson, 5th Kim Hudson.

Age seven: First Christopher, 2nd tie, Keith Miles and Ken Silvia, 3rd Brian Raymond.

Age seven: First Jeff Rideout, 2nd Mark Donahue, 3rd Greg Masse, 4th Sean McSheehey.

Age six: First Kevin Donahue, 2nd Chris French.

Age five: First Lori Sutherland, 2nd Susan Lavelle, 3rd Judine Pihl, 4th Amy Galle.

220 yard dash

Age seven: First Margaret Orlandella, 2nd Kim Davis, 3rd Darlene Talbot, 4th Jennifer Horan, 5th Yvette Higgins.

Age six: First Julie Hunt, 2nd Debbie Staples, 3rd Kathleen Manseau, 4th Ann Marie Silvia, 5th Jennifer Quinn.

Age five: First Mark Fedorchuk, 2nd Don Higgins, 3rd, tie Benton Killen and Dan Roberson, 4th Tammy Talbot.

Age four: First Jennifer Jarek, 2nd Kerry Ann Penney, 3rd Shannon Ware, 4th Darlene Horan, 5th Heather Mackey.

Age two: First Brian McCarthy, 2nd Jackie Hadden, 3rd Scott Adams.

Age three: First Marc Picardi, 2nd Jamie McCarthy, 3rd Chris Nawossa, 4th Billy Hudson.

Age four: First Kevin Nazzaro, 2nd Peter Manseau.

Age 11: First Michael Daley, 2nd Bobby Ware, 3rd Anthony Auciello, 4th Gary Corbett.

Age 11: First Sherry McCleod, 2nd Dawn Adams, 3rd Christine Emerson, 4th Diane Sweeney.

Age 13: First Beverly Luken, 2nd Eleanor Letteri, 3rd Michelle Bernetich.

100 yard dash

Age two: First Ryan McCarthy, 2nd Jack Hadden, 3rd Scott Adams.

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Age 12: First Nancy Winitzer, 2nd Pia Romano, 3rd Michelle Bernetich.

Age 10: First Beth Luken, 2nd Debbie Byrne, 3rd Ann Walgreen, 4th Karen Corbet, 5th Jodi Southerland.

Age 10: First, Richie Miles, 2nd Mark Adams, 3rd Richard Stanton.

Age nine: First Frances Nawossa, 2nd Melissa Catalano, 3rd Terry Scott.

Age 11: First Sherry McLeod, 2nd Christine Emerson, 3rd Dawn Adams, 4th Diane Sweeney.

Age 11: First John Cooper, 2nd Chuck Malatesta, 3rd Anthony Auciello.

Age 13: First Al Marotta, 2nd Jim Hodgdon, 3rd Louis Auciello.

Age 10: First Gary Marotta, 2nd Robert Hunt, 3rd Michael Bernetich.

Age nine: First Steven Gendron, 2nd Jay Silvia, 3rd, tie, Steve Knight and John Sweeney, 4th Bill Donahue.

Age eight: First Craig Tanguay, 2nd Matthew McLaughlin, 3rd Bryan Cedorchuk 4th Bobby Doyle.

100 yard dash

Age 10: First Ann Walgreen, 2nd Karen Corbett,3rd Mary Nawossa, 4th Rose Fazio, 5th Ann Marie Malatesta.

Age 10: First Gary Marotta, 2nd Richie Miles, 3rd Richie Stanton.

Age nine: First Jeff Masse, 2nd Matthew Jarek, 3rd Jay Silvia, 4th Steven Ramsey.

Age nine: First John Glebus, 2nd Timmy Quinn, 3rd John Sweeney, 4th Bill Donahue.

Age five: First Karen Murray, 2nd Beth Dailey, 3rd Erin Buchihey.

Age five: First Mark Cedorchuk, 2nd Kevin Nazzaro, 3rd Benton Killen.

Age nine: First Michelle McLeod, 2nd Terry Scott, 3rd Michelle Tanguay.

Age eight: First Barbara Hand, 2nd Susie Beaulieu, 3rd Nancy Thompson.

Age seven: First Darlene Talbot, 2nd Marsha Carroll, 3rd Kelly Byrne, 4th Yvette Higgins, 5th Heather LaChance.

Age seven: First Tommy Emerson, 2nd Teddy Fazio, 3rd Matthew Thompson, 4th Billy Ramsey.

Age six: First Debbie Staples, 2nd Julie Hunt, 3rd Kathleen Manseau, 4th Ann Marie Silvia, 5th Jennifer Quinn.

Age three: First Jamie McCarthy, 2nd Christopher Nawossa, 3rd Bret Sheehey.

220 yard dash

Age seven: First Jeff Rideout, 2nd Christopher Jarek, 3rd Keith Miles, 4th Ken Silvia.

Age seven: First Heather LaChance, 2nd Marsha Carroll, 3rd Kelly Byrne, 4th Karen Thompson, 5th Kim Hudson.

Age five: First Karen Byrne, 2nd Lori Sutherland, 3rd Beth Daley, 4th Judine Pihl.

Age two: First Kevin Mulcahy, 2nd Suzanne Kileen, 3rd Brett Sheeley.

Age 11: First Cliff Marotta, 2nd John Cooper, 3rd Chuck Malatesta, 4th Anthony Thompson.

Age 13: First Al Marotta, 2nd Jim Hodgdon, 3rd Louis Auciello.

Age six: First Chris French, 2nd Michael Donahue.

Age seven: First Tom Emerson, 2nd Greg Masse, 3rd Sean McSheehy, 4th Billy Ramsey.

Age 12: First Christine Nazzaro, 2nd Nancy Winitzer, 3rd Karen Fahey.

Age 12: First Lisa Branham, 2nd Pia Romano, 3rd Michelle Piccolo.

Softball playoffs from page nine

winning pitcher George Crowley for two hits. Aslanis scored all of its runs in the second, third and fourth innings while three runs in the fourth completed the Dunkirk scoring.

Mac's 13, Rocco's 4...Joe Quinn and Brian Phillips combined for seven hits in their nine at-bats to pace Macs and pitcher Tom Woods to an easy win. Steve Woods and Art Sugrue each rapped two hits for the winners who finished off losing hurler Wally Neal with six runs in the top of the seventh inning. Snooky Lynch and Paul Bova had two hits apiece for Rocco's.

Playoffs

Dunkirk Express, 11 Aslanis Fisheries, 9

Aslanis Fisheries 21 Dunkirk Express, 11

Aslanis Fisheries, 10 Dunkirk Express, 8

Aslanis wins series 2-1

Mac's, 13 Rocco's, 4

Rocco's, 12 Mac's, 11

Rocco's4 Mac's, 2

Rocco's wins series 2-1

Compugraphic, 11 D&D Gulf, 8

D&D Gulf, 15 Compugraphic, 6

D&D Gulf, 9 Compugraphic, 8

D&D wins series 2-1

No. Wilm. Shell, 11 Doyle's Hardware, 10

Doyle's Hardware, 7 No. Wilm. Shell, 5

Doyle's Hardware, 14 No. Wilm. Shell, 4

Doyle's wins series 2-1

Finals

Round Robin-(two games each)

Aslanis Fisheries, 9 D&D Gulf, 6

Rocco's, 6 Doyle's Hardware, 4

Upcoming round-robin schedule

Wednesday, August 22: 7 p.m., Rocco's vs D&D; 8:30 p.m., Aslanis vs Doyle's.

Friday, August 24: 7 p.m., Aslanis vs Rocco's; 8:30 D&D Gulf vs Doyle's.

Sunday, August 26: 7 p.m., Rocco's vs. Doyle's; 8:30 Aslanis vs D&D.

Tuesday, August 28: 7 p.m. Aslanis vs Doyle's; 8:30 p.m., Rocco's vs D&D.

Wednesday, August 29: 7 p.m. Doyle's vs D&D; 8:30 Aslanis vs Rocco's.

TMHS soccer tryouts

Tryouts for the Tewksbury varsity and junior varsity soccer teams will be held Monday morning, August 27, rain or shine from 9:30 to noon at the Junior High School field. Anyone interested in participating in the high school soccer program should attend this tryout.

Captains for the 1979 varsity soccer squad are Robert Dascoli and Ronald Wallace. A third captain will be named before the start of the MVC season.

Anyone planning to attend tryouts who did not have a physical at the end of the past school season must have a note of participation from their doctor in order to try out.

The coaches for the respective teams are, Steve Levine (varsity) and Robert Manzi (junior varsity). This will be the first year for junior varsity soccer in Tewksbury.

tourney

One-Pitch Tournament (15 teams)

Tuesday, Aug. 21: 6:00, 7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00.

Thursday, Aug. 23: 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30.

Monday, Aug. 27: 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30.

Finals, August 28: 7:00 p.m., 8:00 p.m., All-Star-American vs. National.

TMHS volleyball practice

Tewksbury High School volleyball practice begins Monday, August 27 at 9 a.m. at the TMHS gym. Seniors, juniors and sophomore candidates are expected to attend according to coach Steve Catalano who reports that this year's tri-captains are Doreen Gacek, Joanne Callahan and Kathy Krugh.

Twelve seniors and three juniors are returning from the squad that qualified for the Eastern Mass Tourney in Tewksbury's third volleyball season.

Competition for spots on the varsity roster will be heated reports Catalano, the only coach in the sport's brief history at TMHS, but the junior varsity roster is wide open.

Playgrounds close

Friday, August 17, the 1979 season of the Wilmington Recreation Department's Summer Playground Program came to a close.

Under the direction of rookie playground supervisor, Ed Harrison, the playgrounds had a very successful year. Besides arts and crafts, interplayground competitions, sports tourneys, and field trips, the summer was filled with many special events.

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Wilmington youngsters draw Rec honors

Billy Woods has been chosen as the Wildwood Playground's Outstanding Playgrounder. Billy lives at 185 Wildwood Street with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Woods.

Billy proved to be quite an athlete during the summer. He was involved in football, hockey, basketball, baseball, stickball, running and softball. Billy also enjoys swimming and bike riding.

With his athletic abilities, Billy was one of the major reasons for the Wildwood's success in various competitions.

Moran brothers tops

Two brothers share the honor of being chosen as the Outstanding Playgrounders at the Woburn Street Playground. They are Tim and Tom Moran, the sons of Edward and Anne Moran of 3 Chapman Avenue.

Tim and Tom are involved in street hockey, softball, whiffleball, tourneys, the K of C Olympics, arts and crafts, and they placed third in the Soap Box Derby.

Both Tim and Tom enjoy all sports, bike riding, swimming, camping and both did a fine job in the home run derby. The Morans make quite a successful team and were valuable to the playground throughout the summer.

Gina tops at Shawsheen

Gina Martiniello of 18 King Street has been chosen as one of the Shawsheen Playground's Outstanding Playgrounders of the year. She is the daughter of Mario and Yolanda Martiniello.

Gina is an active participant in all playground activities. She is an outstanding athlete, having starred in the K of C Olympics and Beach Day. Gina also showed her driving skill in the annual Soap Box Derby.

Gina also enjoys basketball, gymnastics, arts and crafts, dodge ball, kickball, quiet games, capture the flag, whiffle ball and bombardment.

Valente awarded honor

Jay Valente was also awarded the honor of being an Outstanding Playgrounder at the Shawsheen School. Jay is the son of Rocco and Loretta Valente of 9 Fairmeadow Road.

Jay didn't miss a day at the playground and his leaders report he is very cooperative and enthusiastic in all playground activities.

Jay enjoys all sports on the playground, leading the home run derby (whiffle ball) with 60 homers. He is also an outstanding softball and hockey player. Jay has helped the Shawsheen Panthers to win many events, including the Soap Box Derby.

Swain picks Scozzaro

Joey Scozzaro of 38 Columbia Street, the son of John and Chris Scozzaro, has been selected as one of the Swain Playground's Outstanding Playgrounders of the Year.

Joey has been involved in many activities at the playground such as beach trips, the K of C Olympics, the Scavenger Hunt, relay races, bike trips, the Police Association Beach Day, and Surprise Days. Joey also participated in the football tourney.

Nancy shares honors

Another resident of Columbia Street, Nancy Sullivan, shares the Swain honors with Joey. Nancy is the daughter of Kevin and Nancy Sullivan of 16 Columbia Street.

Nancy attended the playground almost every day this summer, missing just a few days while on vacation. She was involved in many activities such as marbles, kickball, softball, Beach Day, basketball, Canobie Lake, bike trip, coloring contest, arts and crafts, whiffle ball, and relay races. With a list like that, it's not hard to figure out why Nancy has been chosen as an Outstanding Playgrounder.

Craig shines at Boutwell

Tom Craig of 34 Swain Road has been chosen as one of Boutwell School Playground's Oustanding Playgrounders of the Year. Tom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Craig.

He was an active athlete at the Boutwell Playground throughout the summer, involved in the whiffleball tourney, the Hersey track meet, and the proud driver of the original "Boutwell Bomber" in the Soap Box Derby.

Tom's hobbies include outdoor sports such as bicycling, whiffleball (he was high in the standings of home runs hit during the tourney.), softball, football, bombardment, and basketball. Tom also enjoys quieter activities such as monopoly, checkers and cards.

Maria a Boutwell leader

Marie Alpers was also chosen as a Boutwell Outstanding Playgrounder of the Year. She lives on Swain Road with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Alpers.

Maria was involved in several tourneys this summer including football, volleyball, whiffleball and quiet games. She was a contender in the sand castle contest at the Beach Day and did well in the races she participated in during that event. She is also one of the best monopoly players at the Boutwell.

It's Glen Ford at North Intermediate

Glenn Ford has been chosen as the North Intermediate Playground's Outstanding Playgrounder of the Year. Throughout this summer, Glenn has faithfully attended the playground. This summer was his third season with the playground and because he is almost 12, next summer might be his swan song as a playgrounder.

The end of the summer is not the end of Glenn's trek to the North each morning, as he will be attending the North Intermediate School in the fall.

As a playgrounder at the North, Glenn participated in many activities including arts and crafts, interplayground competitions, races, field trips, and parties. Glenn was always ready to take part and help out.

Sports notebook page 12



The Senior League Pirates rolled to the Town Championship with a 6-2 win over the Phillies in the title game played August 14.

Kneeling, l-r: Bobby Haggerty, Eddie Krzesinski, John Hennigan, Richie Deviaminck, Mike Donahue and Armind Dias.

Standing, l-r: Coach Paul Beattie, manager Bob Haggerty, Mike Mahoney, Fred Mainey, Gene Nelson, Kevin Barry, Tony Rubico and coach Dick Deviamack.

Missing from the photo are Paul Tassinari, Mike Hazel and George Peverelotis.

Senior League Division Town Champs

Rip Phillies, 6-2

Pirates take Town Title

Fred Mainey ripped a two run double in the sixth inning and his teammates erupted for four more runs in the seventh to push the Pirates past the Phillies 6-2 in the Tewksbury Town Senior League Championship game last week.

Mainey and the Phillies' Todd DiRocco hooked up in a 0-0 pitcher's duel through the first three innings before the Phils jumped out on top 1-0 on the fourth when DiRocco walked, stole second and scored on Jim Riss' single.

The Pirates plated two runs in the top of the sixth to take a 2-1 lead despite highway robbery by left-fielder Riss on Bobby Haggerty's deep drive. Riss' grab robbed the Pirates of a double and a potential big inning.

Mike Donahue got the mini-rally started with a walk, Gene Nelson rapped into a fielder's choice and Paul Tassinari belted a single to centerfield putting runners on first and third and setting the stage for Mainey's two run double down the leftfield line that gave the Pirates the lead.

The champs exploded for their four runs in the seventh inning as Nelson, Tassinari, Armind Dias and Kevin Barry all rapped hits. Barry also helped turn over a key double play that thwarted a Phillie threat.

The Phillies plated their final run of the game in the seventh inning when Squires doubled and Al Mara singled him home.

Pony League champs page 12

Sand castle contest

Rec sand castle teams shine

Wednesday, August 15, two teams representing the Wilmington Recreation Department traveled to Crane's Beach in Ipswich for the annual sand castle contest. One team consisted of participants at the Wildwood School Playground. They were; Linda and Steve Raso, Krisetn McGowan, Billy Woods, Danny Woods, Mike Woods, Sharon Bator, Ray Mercuri, Mike Mercuri, Erin Camaron, Trevor Deegan, Kim and Kerry Dalton, and Kenny and Todd McGowan.

The second team was made up of participants from the Boutwell playground that included; Maria Alpers, Tami MacDonald, Chris and Craig Francis, Butch Alpers, Scott and Jim Brand and Suzanne Schultz.

Although neither team came home victorious, all enjoyed the trip. The Boutwell team constructed a sand volcano that actually spit fire and smoke, while the Wildwood built an elaborate castle.

TMHS cross country meeting

Candidates interested in competing in boys varsity and junior varsity cross country at Tewksbury Memorial High School should report to the high school track complex on Monday August 27 at 6:30 p.m.

Sophomores, juniors and seniors will be permitted to compete for varsity and junior varsity positions.

Tewksbury does not have a junior high cross country team and sophomores as well as upperclassmen are reminded to be ready to run after the meeting August 27.

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Sports Notebook

by Rick Cooke

The future is now for Hannah and Patriots

No matter how much New England Patriots general manager Bucko Kilroy talks about building for the future via draft choices, I just can't buy the recent deal that sent All-Pro tackle Leon Gray to the Houston Oilers for first and sixth round draft picks.

Granted, a number one draft choice, especially in the supposedly super draft of next year, is valuable and is probably worth a player the caliber of Leon Gray.

But, the timing of the deal was just awful and it is also unwise to break up an All-pro combination - especially when the other Al-Pro is guard John Hannah, Gray's roommate before this preseason and best friend.

It's common knowledge that Hannah doesn't particularly like living in New England during the season, and would like to escape to a warmer climate close to his farm in Alabama.

By trading Gray the Patriots gave Hannah a legitimate excuse never to sign another contract with the team. He just about said that after the trade was made last week, but since then he's tempered his original quote of "I'll never sign another contract with this team."

Whatever, it will be considerably more difficult for the team to get Hannah's name on a contract now that Kilroy has seemingly sacrificed the present momentarily for another influx of future talent.

The trade might read Gray-and a player to be named later-namely Hannah-after his contract and option year are up in three seasons. The Patriots might have sacrificed two All-Pros down the road for that prized draft pick.

That 1980 number one draft pick had better be a super player - and Dwight Wheeler, Gray's replacement at left tackle, better be more than a stop gap player, or Bucko will be feeling the bite of the once again frustrated New England football fans.

Stingley remembered

It was one year ago Sunday, August 12 that the Patriots' wide receiver Darryl Stingley was paralyzed by an unnecessary jarring hit by Oakland Raider safety Jack Tatum.

Stingly, who now has partial movement of both arms, was remembered and talked about by teammates in a recent piece by the Boston Globe's Mike Madden.

The words of quarterback Steve Grogan, who some idiots blame for the injury because the pass on the play was overthrown, seems to have been affected most by the incident and his comments in the Globe story reflect the feelings of many players.

"I really don't know about this. Anytime you have an injury like this, you have to take a close look at the sport. When you come right down to it, it's what we enjoy doing. We enjoy football. That's why we're out there. We're all a little crazy. We're all a little wacky, we're all a little macho to go out there and try to hit people and know that we're going to be hit," admits the Patriots quarterback.

"It's sad to look at it this way, but this is what the American public wants. They want to see people getting hit. And we're the ones - the football players - who are crazy enough to go out there on the field and do it. We love football. We're the ones who do it."

Tewksbury frosh still without a coach

At press time Tewksbury's freshmen football squad was still without a head coach. The squad went undefeated last year under John Donoghue who resigned after the season to pursue his education.

Two of the leading candidates are former TMHS football stars Joe DelGrosso, now the high school trainer, and Mark Manley. Another applicant is freshman assistant coach Ernie Lightfoot, who is widely regarded as an excellent football coach. Lightfoot has also coached in the Tewksbury Pop Warner system.

WHS in search of basketball coach

Shortly after the word was out that former Wilmington High School Athletic Director James Martin would resign, the school's varsity basketball coach, Don Doucette resigned in May.

Doucette, a Boston State College graduate, did an excellent job with a Wildcat team molded around center Dick Dowd last season, but apparently ruffled more than a few feathers around the league with his abrasive coaching style from the bench.

Wilmington may not have to look any further than its own backyard for a new coach. Jim Tildsley, recently named to coach John Ritchie's football staff, has coached Wilmington freshman basketball for several years and last year was an assistant with a well coached Methuen team.

Tildsley was one of the applicants last year when Doucette was named to the job, succeeding Bob Milley.

Gills to lend a hand

WHS Athletic Director Jim Gillis will help John Ritchie get his coaching assignments straightened away for a couple of days next week at the Wildcats' camp in Freedom, New Hampshire.

Gillis, who was credited with molding Wilmington's inexperienced lines into workable units both offensively and defensively a year ago, will give his advice briefly before turning the line coaching duties over to Ritchie, a longtime backfield coach with former Wildcat head man Fred Bellissimo. The other Wilmington coaches are Tildsley, Eddie Harrison and Bernie McKenna.

Esposito out with injury

Former Wilmington High and Boston College star Mike Esposito was placed on injured reserve by the Atlanta Falcoms last week after separating a shoulder.

Esposito had been an excellent special teams player and reserve running back with the Falcons for three seasons.

Coaches should teach, period

Pop Warner coaches are probably the most important people when it comes to molding a young football player's initial gridiron steps. I've always thought that a coach on this level should be a teacher of the game and nothing else. If a man volunteers to coach a Pop Warner team he should take not only the time to show up at practice, but the time to learn something about the game that could help a youngster play up to his ability.

I have never been an advocate of the kick-in-the-butt, pat-on-the-back style of coaching, particularly at the Pop Warner level. If a kid makes a mistake or makes a lousy tackle, I don't think that many, if any of them, benefit from being called girls and Mary Jane in between reminders that practice isn't a dance recital. Try to correct the problem, tell the boy what he's done wrong. If a player doesn't get the hang of several of the football techniques by a certain age, then he shouldn't be playing the game. No amount of ridiculing or group name calling will convert an already tentative kid into an aggressive football player. Either he wants to play or he doesn't. It's that simple.

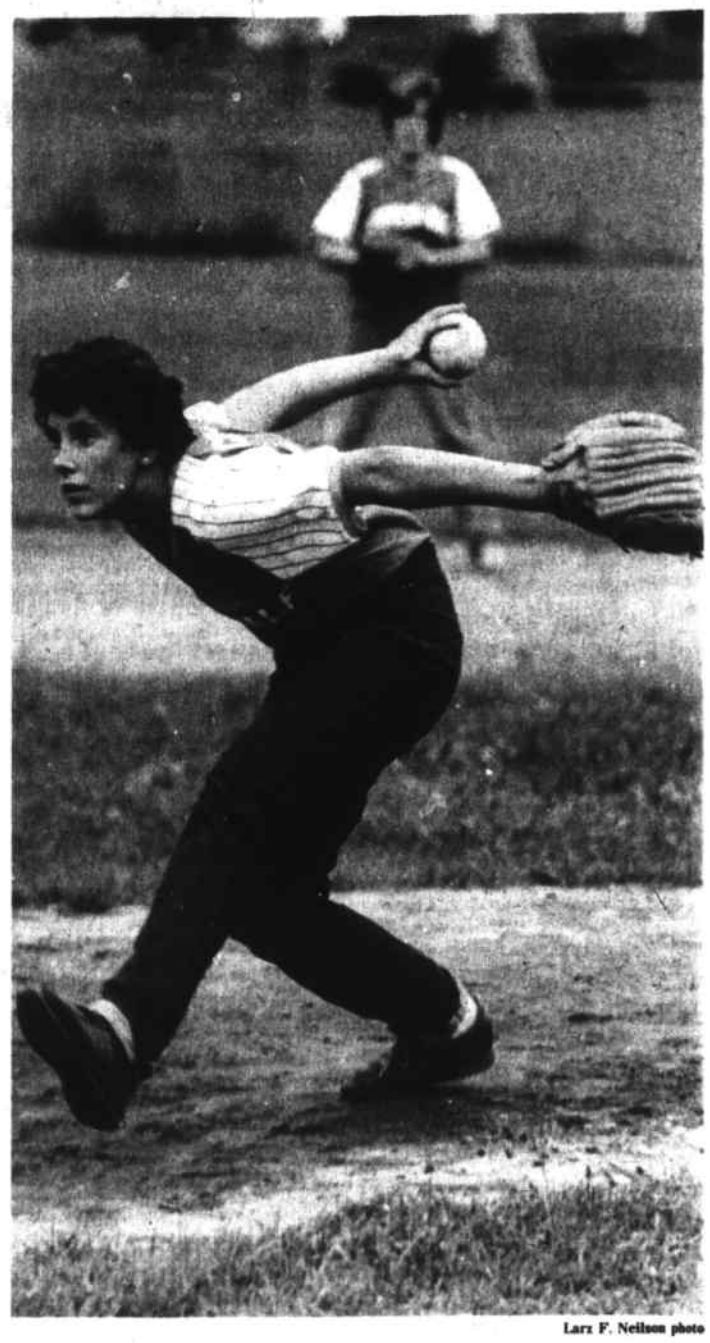
Hot dogs, apple pie...and mooning?

Baseball, hot dogs, apple pie...and a little Moon over Miami if you please maestro. The realities of professional sports unfortunately reared its ugly head and smacked an eight-year-old autograph seeker right smack in the face recently when he was rebuffed (excuse the pun) when the New York Yankees took time out on their team bus outside Chicago's Comisky Park to pen their signatures to the backside of a rather attractive 20-year-old young lady.

Chicago Sun Times columnist Mike Royko reported the incident last week as related to him by the boy's mother who quite naturally was upset.

The mother and her son saw something that I'm sure is not a first. Professional athletes are not always nice guys running around looking for the next bowl of Wheaties and the next charity to donate their services to.

You'll find your share of jerks and generally bad people in pro sports just as you'll find them in every other walk of life. Morals are not always up to par, people are not always polite, and every athlete isn't as pure as his God-given talents.



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Sandy fires

Wilmington pitcher Sandra Craig fires in last Wednesday night's game between Tewksbury Recreation Girls softball champs Tiggers and the Better Halfs - the Wilmington Recreation League's top club.



Pony League Champs

The Wilmington Mavericks are the 1979 Reading Pony League Champs. First row, l-r: Ken Runge, Dan Foley, Mike Moran, Rusty Ryan and Don Josephson.

Second row, l-r: Brian Sughrue, Dan Ward, Eddie Olshaw, Jim Newhouse, Rich Doucette, Tim Sanville, John Blaisdell, Jerry O'Reilly and Jon Nolan.

Third row, l-r: Tom Fillio, coach Joe Bulger, Ted Moran, Ron Cahill, coaches Jerry O'Reilly and Joe Raso.

Former WHS star hopes to crack Harvard lineup

Rounds gets his varsity shot

Wilmington's Dave Rounds will be one of 105 varsity candidates on hand when Harvard opens its pre-season football camp August 30 in Cambridge.

The 6-1, 190-pound adjuster held a starting berth on the 1978 freshman team which posted a fine 4-1-1 record last fall under coach Mac Singleton. Under Ivy League rules, freshmen are prohibited from playing on the varsity level.

"Dave did a great job learning our rather complicated defensive alignments," commented coach Singleton. "His talent, quickness, and innate understanding of the game were factors which helped us be as succeesful as we were against the pass." Rounds had a key interception in the game against Holy Cross to cut short a Crusader drive.

It's been two years since Harvard has enjoyed a winning football season, the only two losing seasons in head coach Joe Restic's nine year tenure. Coach Restic (44-26-2) and the 1978 squad suffered through a frustrating season last fall, taking a 4-3-1 record into the final game, but being only eight points shy of an undefeated season at that point. This year's squad, although depleted by graduation, hopes to not only significantly better last year's 4-4-1 mark, but shoot for the Ivy crown.

"Once again, Yale, Brown and Dartmouth seem to be the leaders, but the league is tremendously balanced, perhaps this year more so than ever," says Restic. "Over the past few years, the decisive quarter in the championship race has been the fourth quarter of the final game. I think this season will be the same in that respect, and we intend to be very much in the race at that point," Restic adds.

In striving toward that goal, coach Restic must fill several key gaps left by graduated talent. First priority will be given to rebuilding the offensive unit which lost all-time leading passing leader Larry Brown, plus leading scorer, rusher, and receiver Ralph Polillio, another back, a tight end, a tackle, and both guards.

The defense also has lost several starters with attentions now being directed to filling an end, tackle, and both cornerback positions. Restic remarks, "For the first time in a while, we can't say it's simply the offense or simply the defense. We'll be looking to talented newcomers like Dave Rounds to step in and fill those positions successfully. We've lost our starting adjuster, and I think Dave has all the talent and determination to contribute significantly to our varsity program."

A 1978 graduate of Wilmington High School, Dave earned All-Scholastic and All-Conference honors in football.

A prospective economics major at Harvard, Dave is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Austin L. Rounds of 52 Butters Row in Wilmington.

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